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WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer is rising over Northern British Columbia, and colder weather is spreading southward. Snow has fallen in Alberta, and moderately cold weather extends to Manitoba.

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LORD WILLINGDON WARMLY GREETED BY UP-ISLANDERS

Public Receptions and Memorial Ceremonies Mark Visits to Duncan, Nanaimo and Other Centres

SCHOOL CHILDREN ARE GIVEN HOLIDAY

Lord and Lady Willingdon Meet Indian Leaders Who Participated in Victoria Pageant—View Health Centre

COMPLETING the official visit to up-Island points, Lord and Lady Willingdon, with Lieutenant-Governor Randolph Bruce and Miss Helen Mackenzie, will spend the next seven days at Qualicum Beach to take a much-needed rest. Their journey up-Island was full of activities, and included a visit at the new Solarium, several ceremonies at Duncan and Nanaimo.

Party Reaches Duncan

DUNCAN, March 31.—More than 1,000 people greeted Their Excellencies Lord and Lady Willingdon when they arrived at Duncan at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, accompanied by His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Randolph Bruce, Miss Helen Mackenzie, Captain the Honorable J. C. C. Jarvis, M.C., aide de camp, Inspector Parsons of the Provincial Police and Mr. R. M. Palmer, of Cowichan. The party, before going to Duncan, inspected Mr. Palmer's bulb farm.

The viceregal party proceeded to the Cowichan Country Club, where an informal luncheon was served. They were received at the club by Mayor and Mrs. J. T. Mutter, Reeve J. N. Evans, Mr. C. F. Davie, M.P.P., Mrs. Davie, Mr. James Maitland Dougall, Provincial Government Agent; Colonel Moss, Mrs. C. Moss, president of the Cowichan District Health Centre; Mr. J. A. Frank, president of the Canadian Legion; Mr. Hugh Savage, editor of The Cowichan Leader; Mr. K. F. Duncan, first mayor of Duncan and president of the Property Owners' Association; Mr. S. R. Kirkham, president of the Board of Trade; and Mr. V. J. Palmer, who served in the Indian Mutiny.

At War Memorial

After the luncheon, the viceregal party proceeded to the Memorial on Front Street, where tribute was paid to the fallen heroes. A guard of honor, comprising members of the Canadian Legion, here was inspected by His Excellency. Mr. J. A. Frank, president of the branch, was in command. There was a large gathering to witness this ceremony.

A number of local Indians, who had taken part in the Indian pageant in Victoria, were among those present at the Memorial ceremony. They were dressed in their full regalia, and were delighted when His Excellency took the opportunity to shake hands with them and chat about the pageant in Victoria.

Colonel Dopping-Hepenstal, Colonel Fordyce and other officers whom His Excellency had known were received, and Lord Willingdon had a short talk with them.

Following the ceremony the party proceeded to the Agricultural Grounds where the Girl Guides, the Boy Scouts, the Brownies, Cubs, school children and general public were assembled, with members of the I.O.D.E. and Women's Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion. After an introduction to the leaders of the various organizations Their Excellencies inspected the ranks of the Girl Guides, Boy Scouts, Brownies and Cubs.

Bouquet Presented

Little Florence Muiter, on behalf of the Brownies, presented a bouquet of Easter lilies to Lady Willingdon, while Mary Vue Watson, daughter of Mrs. H. N. Watson, regent of the

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WILKINS' PLANE IS FORCED DOWN RADIO REPORTS

Engine Trouble Compels Landing on Ice One Hundred Miles From Point Barrow, Says Wireless Message

EXPLORERS ARE SAFE; MAY TAKE OFF AGAIN

If Unable to Do So, Still Not Considered in Great Danger—Can Direct Other Plane by Radio to Rescue

By A. M. SMITH
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POINT BARROW, Alaska, March 31.—Captain George H. Wilkins and his pilot, Ben Eielson, who started by plane to search for undiscovered land in the Arctic yesterday morning, today radioed that they had been forced down on the ice 100 miles northeast of Point Barrow by engine trouble. Both were safe, the message said.

The brief message did not state whether the trouble occurred while the plane was outbound or on the return trip. Later instructions by radio are expected which will determine whether the Detroit News No. 2, sister ship of the No. 1, in which the explorers flew, will fly out for Wilkins and Eielson. Presumably the flyers must have encountered heavy winds, for the course on which they started was laid twenty-five degrees west of north and they intended to fly still farther west after following this route for 600 miles. Although Wilkins and Eielson are 100 miles out on the Arctic ice at the very limits of exploration if not beyond them, they are not necessarily in pressing danger. Wilkins is an experienced explorer and was equipped for just such an emergency. At this season he will find solid ice, interrupted only by water leads torn out by winds and currents, to the Alaskan coast. These leads, which open explosively under the stresses of the Arctic ice sheet, the tremendous upheavals of ice ridges which occur in the same manner and for the same reason. Intense Arctic cold and blizzard constitute the explorers' chief possible danger. The weather at Point Barrow today, however, has been improving, with a thirty-five-mile wind and a rise in temperature from twenty above zero in the morning to twenty-six in the afternoon. Clear weather is expected in a day or two.

AORANGI BRINGS MANY NOTABLES

PROMINENT PEOPLE ARRIVE ON MOTORSHIP FROM THE ANTIPODES

Mr. E. L. Pease, Vice-President of Royal Bank of Canada, Is Here With Mrs. Pease

A number of leading figures in many walks of Empire activity arrived last evening on the motorship Aorangi, from Australia, New Zealand and the Hawaiian Islands.

Among the saloon passengers on board were Sir James Calder, the well-known distiller, who had been in Australia in connection with a number of business matters; Sir J. Davies, accompanied by Lady Davies; Sir Gordon Huntly Campbell, with Lady Campbell and Miss Campbell; Mr. E. L. Pease, vice-president of the Royal Bank of Canada, Montreal; Mr. George Wright, of Farmers', the great Sydney drygoods business; Hon. T. G. Murray, prominent member of the Legislature in New South Wales, and Mr. L. B. Levi, of the Vacuum Oil Company. Mr. and Mrs. Pease are accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Brown.

Among guests who are registered at the Empress Hotel who also arrived on the same steamer are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tildesley, of Wolverhampton, England, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Tilsley, of Birmingham, and Dr. and Mrs. Hall and their son.

There is a much larger percentage of passengers staying over in Victoria on this occasion than is usually the case, a number of them being disappointed that the hour of arrival precluded the connection with the Sound steamer.

from the Colonist Tower

Friday, April 1

90th Day. 1927

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; generally fair, and cold at night.

Sun Rises: 5:54 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 6:40 o'clock.

High Tide: 2:40 a.m., 8.1 feet.
Low Tide: 8:44 p.m., 3.3 feet.

Sport

Hockey results: Canadiens 1, Montreal Maroons 0; Boston Bruins 4, Chicago Black Hawks 4.

The News

Local and Provincial—
Receptions held at Duncan, Nanaimo and other centres for Viceregal party.
Mr. Twigg says witness will show B.C. Government could have purchased liquor more cheaply in 1921.
Human bones found by boys believed to be remains of Mr. James Watson who disappeared last August.
Oswego Street by-law is carried by large majority. Vote is light.
Notables arrive from Antipodes on Motorship Aorangi.
Mr. C. F. Davie is renominated for riding he now represents.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—
Wilkins plane forced down on Arctic ice, radio message tells.
Seagram company makes loans to shareholders and declares no dividends.
Britain wishes powers to unite in joint Chinese policy.
Mr. Cahen continues Imperial Conference debate.

National Council Asks For Censor of Print

OTTAWA, March 31.—The National Council of Women executive at its closing business session today expressed strong favor for the appointment of a board of censors upon whose recommendation the publication or sale of any periodical may be made illegal and that by order of this board any book, pamphlet or periodical may be excluded from His Majesty's mail and from importation if published outside of the Dominion.

Ten Dollars Suffices

SHANGHAI, March 31.—Ten dollars is the price of assassination in Shanghai. Evidence to this effect was given in a case whereby the provincial court in which a Chinese was convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment for the murder of a loyal forewoman in a British cotton mill.

The prisoner confessed he shot the woman at the instance of a prominent member of the general labor union, who gave him ten dollars in advance.

Gift From Acton, England, to Acton, Ontario

As a token of goodwill from the people of Acton, England, to the citizens of Acton, Ontario, a replica of the Arms of the Borough was presented last week to Mr. H. P. Moore, chief magistrate, left, by Mr. T. E. McDonnell, vice-president and general manager of the Canadian Pacific Express Company, right, who represented Sir Harry Brittain, parliamentary representative of the borough.

SEAGRAM'S FIRM HAS NEW FINANCE

NO DIVIDENDS PAID BUT SHAREHOLDERS BORROW LARGE SUMS FROM TREASURY

Total Loans Shown as $860,000—Cost of Racing Stable Deducted From Profits for Tax

TORONTO, March 31.—Two interesting facts were brought to light during the investigation of Joseph E. Seagram, Limited, Waterloo distillers, before the Royal Customs Commission today. The first was that, during the years of the old company (a new company under the same name took over the business about six months ago), the expense of operating a race horse farm was deducted from the profits of the distillery before income tax was paid. The second was that the old company declared no dividends from 1920 on. Instead, the shareholders, consisting, according to evidence, of four members of the Seagram family, borrowed money from the company. The profits, said counsel, were very large and the borrowings extensive.

Hon. N. W. Rowell, K.C., commission counsel, endeavored to ascertain from William Carthew, manager and treasurer of the old company, if this policy of no dividends was adopted so that the shareholders could evade income tax.

"That's not for me to say. I'm not running their business," was the response he got. When Mr. Rowell asked if these loans which he cited, shown as $860,000 in the books, were not really distribution of profits, the witness said no, they were loans of profits.

Huether's Brewery, Limited, of Kitchener, Ontario, shared with Seagram's the attention of the commissioners this afternoon. From Karl Huether, who stated that he looked after shipments for this company, came the statement that strong beer had been delivered in Ontario after renewal of the licence in the year 1924.

"The bulk of your strong beer was sold and delivered in Ontario up to 1926?" asked Mr. Rowell.

"About half of it," was the reply. Drivers delivering the strong beer were frequently protected by export entries which were furnished to them, while Mr. Huether insisted that this was not done in all cases. The testimony of Clarence Miller, manager of the Huether Brewery, was to the effect that a new company had been formed within the last six months, that the control of stock had changed, and that now the law in regard to the liquor export was being obeyed to the letter.

A. E. Nash, commission auditor, placed the arrears of sales tax for this brewery at approximately $41,000, of which about $8,000 is in dispute, being the tax on export sales.

Ontario Legislature Prorogues Tuesday

TORONTO, March 31.—Ontario's seventeenth parliament, after having been in session since February 2 last, reached the conclusion of its business at 11:55 o'clock tonight. Formal prorogation is fixed for next Tuesday.

Canadian Legion Makes Appeal to Parliament

OTTAWA, March 31.—"Stick to your desks as Canadian soldiers stuck to their guns," is the appeal by the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League to members of the House of Commons in urging consideration of amendments to the Pension Act and related legislation this session. In a letter sent out today the legion declares "remedial legislation is required at the earliest possible moment because of the large number of claimants concerned, and the fact that further delay would be an unwarranted hardship on many deserving persons."

The letter was the outcome of a statement by the Minister of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment that no amendments would be introduced because of the general desire to terminate the session by Easter.

British Commission Publishes Report on American Industries

LONDON, March 31. The Industrial Commission, headed by Sir Wm. MacKenzie, which was sent to the United States and Canada to study industrial conditions, has issued a voluminous report which is more in the nature of a commentary on conditions prevailing in the United States than of definite recommendations to British industries.

The committee finds that "the adaptability shown by all engaged in industry to promote efficiency and productivity and to eliminate waste is particularly noticeable," and remarks upon the great advantages to industry of "horizontal" trusts, whose success was declared undeniable in causing cheaper production, widened markets, greater employment and higher wages.

LADYSMITH SMELTER IS TO BE OPERATED

VANCOUVER, March 31.—Financial backing secured in London by Herbert Carmichael, general manager of the Ladysmith Smelting Company, and H. B. Thomson, of Victoria, will result in the reopening of the concern's smelter at Ladysmith for the treatment of silver, lead and zinc ores, according to "authentic information" received here, says The Vancouver Daily Province today.

"It is probable," says the newspaper, "that a custom mill will be in operation in conjunction therewith to handle low-grade complex ores.

"Ladysmith smelter was formerly operated by the Tyee Copper Company for the smelting of the ores of the Tyee mine on Vancouver Island. That company's operations were a great success financially until the mine became exhausted. The smelter was then continued for some years as a copper custom plant but as such failed to pay. It drew ores from British Columbia coast, Alaska and South America.

"Mr. Sieberling, of the Goodyear Rubber Company, then acquired the smelter and expended a large sum of money in development of mineral properties in British Columbia and Alaska with a view of providing sufficient copper ore to run it, but his plans failed. Then some Americans took hold of it and organized a local company which did little more than sell stock."

BRITAIN WISHES GENERAL ACTION

COMMUNICATIONS EXCHANGED WITH POWERS WITH VIEW TO MAKING JOINT DEMAND

Chang Kai-Shek Would Have Protection of Foreigners Left to Nationalists to Undertake

LONDON, March 31.—An emergency meeting of the Cabinet was held tonight, says The Daily Mail, as a result of which something in the nature of an ultimatum will be sent to the Cantonese Government demanding reparation for the slaying of British subjects by Cantonese troops during the recent disorders.

The Government, the newspaper says, is prepared to take the strongest measures to secure retribution for the disorders.

LONDON, March 31.—Great Britain is contemplating making certain demands on the Chinese Nationalist authorities in connection with the anti-foreign outrages at Nanking, but it was not settled tonight whether Great Britain's demands would be made known separately or in conjunction with other Powers. It is understood here that the British draft note demands an apology and reparation for the Nanking affair, as well as punishment of the guilty persons and guarantees against the repetition of such outbreaks.

Reluctant to Act Separately

Exchanges are said to be in progress between various capitals on the subject of concerted representations by the foreign Powers involved in the Chinese situation. The British Gov-

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MR. C. F. DAVIE IS AGAIN CHOSEN AS PARTY CANDIDATE

Sitting Member Is Unanimously Nominated for Cowichan-Newcastle at Ladysmith Conservative Convention

NEW ERA SEEN COMING WITH PREMIER TOLMIE

Resources of Province to Be Made Contributory to Prosperity of Its People—Less Taxation and More Liberty

(Special to The Colonist)

LADYSMITH, March 31.—At the convention of the Conservatives of Cowichan-Newcastle held here this afternoon Mr. C. F. Davie, the sitting member for the district, was unanimously selected as the candidate for the next election. His nomination was proposed by Mr. Harry Evans, of Cowichan, a native son of the district, and was seconded by Mr. Donald Nicholson, of Ladysmith.

More than seventy delegates were present representing all parts of the district. The opinion was expressed by the president of the association and supported by others that the nomination of Mr. Davie was synonymous with his election.

With no other name in nomination, Mayor Mutter of Duncan, in moving that nominations close, made reference to the work done for the district as a whole by the present member, who had sacrificed his own business to do so. The nomination was made unanimous with cheers for Mr. Davie.

Mr. Davie Replies

In accepting the nomination, Mr. Davie paid a compliment to both the mover and the seconder of the nomination. Mr. Harry Evans, he said, belonged to one of the oldest families in Cowichan and was known always as a loyal Conservative, and Mr. Donald Nicholson was known as one of the most true blue Conservatives in Ladysmith. He thanked the loyal men who had stood by him in the election of 1924, when the riding was redeemed. On a recent visit to every part of the riding, when he sought the opinions of the party, he had been urged again and again to run at the next election with a view to the winning of the election. He had therefore consented to do so. The success of the party was more to him than any personal consideration.

Leader and Unifier

In Dr. Tolmie the Conservative party had a leader who commands the confidence of the party of the Province, Mr. Davie continued. The situation at Kamloops was reviewed and an explanation made of the stand taken by himself with the concurrence of the Cowichan-Newcastle delegates. Dr. Tolmie was the most popular figure before the electors of British Columbia. He was not only a great leader, he was a unifier of the party. Dr. Tolmie's leadership and

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Four Thousand More to Arrive in Three Days

WINNIPEG, March 31.—Six steamers due at Halifax during Friday, Saturday and Sunday with 4,141 immigrants from Great Britain and the Continent, indicates that the heavy influx of settlers which marked the month of March as the heaviest March since before the war will prevail throughout April. The Athenia with a passenger list of 858, comprised entirely of British, represents the largest single group of newcomers. Among them will be 110 farm workers, organized by the Colonization Department of the Canadian National Railways. There are also groups of families coming to Canada under the 2,000-family plan. It will be necessary for the Canadian National Railways to operate nine special trains or more than 120 cars to bring these immigrants to Winnipeg, where they will be distributed to their destinations.

Commander de Pinedo Invited by Vancouver

VANCOUVER, B.C., March 31.—Vancouver has extended an invitation to Commander Francesco De Pinedo, famous Italian airman, to visit the city in the course of his four-continent flight. He has been requested to fly from Seattle, which point he will reach late in April.

In addition, the city has cabled Premier Mussolini of Italy urging that he permit the illustrious airman to come here.

Three weeks ago, the Air Force Club of British Columbia, through Major D. R. MacLaren, D.S.O., extended an invitation to De Pinedo, asking him to be its guest. The invitation was sent through Nicholas Masi, Italian consul here.

Son of Gavin Hamilton Dies at Lac la Hache

QUESNEL, B.C., March 31.—Richard Hamilton, son of the late Gavin Hamilton, old-time factor for the Hudson's Bay Company, and owner of 100-Mile House, died at Lac la Hache following injuries received from a rockslide on the new highway.

Coal Mine Shut Out Probable This Morning

CHICAGO, March 31.—Soft coal mining in the major American fields headed toward stalemate at midnight tonight, the hour of expiration of the Jacksonville wage agreement.

Coast Cargo Rates Must Lower After April 10 or Grain Will Go Eastward

VANCOUVER, B.C., March 31.—If ocean rates from Vancouver to Great Britain decline sufficiently to permit competition with Atlantic rates, the movement of grain from this port will continue in fair volume during April and May, according to George McIvor, of Calgary, sales manager of the Alberta Wheat Pool. Mr. McIvor is in the city on his regular monthly visit.

When the Atlantic seaboard opens about the first of May, there will be more competition from that route, Mr. McIvor declared. At present rates it will be possible to ship east from Fort William at a freight cost of 23 cents per bushel, which would be equivalent to 30 shillings per ton from Vancouver. The present rate from this port is about 25 shillings. Exporters can do business from this coast at 35 shillings, until about April 10, following which grain shipped from here will be competitive with the Atlantic route. Rates from this port will have to be adjusted then to equal those of the Atlantic, Mr. McIvor indicated.

The situation in the Orient, Mr. McIvor stated, was fairly satisfactory. During the past two weeks China has bought nearly 1,000,000 bushels and Japan 250,000 bushels from the Pool. All will move from Vancouver excepting one cargo, which will be loaded at Prince Rupert.

CHEAPER LIQUOR OFFERED, CLAIM

Mr. Twigg Says Witness Will Show Government Was Able in 1921 to Buy at Less Than It Paid

SIR JAMES CALDER MAY GO ON STAND

That he would produce a witness today who would show that the British Columbia Government could have purchased Spey Royal whiskey in January, 1921, for less money than it paid for 2,000 cases of that brand in Auckland, New Zealand, was the statement made by Mr. H. Despard Twigg, M.P.P., at the session of the Royal Commission investigating political campaign funds yesterday in the Court House here.

Mr. Twigg asked Attorney-General Manson if he would produce from the files a letter from Mr. J. S. O'Brien, of Vancouver, to purchasing agent James Paterson, dated January 31, 1921, which offered the Government 5,000 cases of Heather Dew whiskey at $15 per case, C.I.F., Vancouver. This communication, he stated, also referred to a previous offer made to the Government, of 5,000 cases at

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SMALL BOYS FIND HUMAN REMAINS

GEORGE AND JOSEPH ANDREWS MAKE DISCOVERY WHILE PICKING LILIES

Police Believe Bones Found on Mount Douglas Those of Mr. Watson, Who Disappeared Last August

MR. JAMES WATSON

While out picking lilies on Mount Douglas last Sunday two small boys had a gruesome experience. Proceeding up a little stream that runs past the gravel pit into Cordova Bay, George and Joe Andrews, of 1041 Bay Street, came across some human bones. Chief Hastings of the Saanich Police, believes that the remains are those of Mr. James Watson, of 845 Princess Avenue, who left home last August 23 and never returned.

The boys did not report their find to the police until yesterday afternoon, thinking that the bones might be of some animal. Their parents, however, on hearing the story told them to report it to the police.

Chief Hastings took George and Joe out to Mount Douglas to direct him to the spot. They came across the bones in some thick brush high up on the mountain. Near the remains Chief Hastings found a set of false teeth, a gold watch and spectacles. With these it is expected to identify the man as James Watson. The remains were taken to McCall's Funeral Parlor, where the inquest will be held.

The discovery recalls the anxious search made last August by relatives and police. Both the city and Saanich departments hunted for the man. First they traced him to Lake Hill and then to Cedar Hill, but they were never able to locate him.

BY-LAW IS PASSED BY BIG MAJORITY; LIGHT VOTE CAST

Only Eleven Per Cent of Voters Visit Polls—Total of 1,225 Ballots Cast—1,125 for, 97 Against, 3 Spoilt

MAYOR J. CARL PENDRAY GRATIFIED WITH RESULT

J.B.A.A. Membership Feels That Action of Citizens of Victoria Will Extend Sport Activities of Club

TRANSFER of the Oswego Street waterfront property to the C.P.R. was authorized yesterday by the citizens of Victoria when the by-law was passed with a majority of 1,028 votes. Only eleven per cent of the voters went to the polls. The result was: In favor of the transfer, 1,125; against, 97; spoilt, three; total number of votes cast, 1,225; total number qualified to vote, approximately 9,000.

"Although the number of votes cast was comparatively small, they showed the sentiment of the citizens toward the removal of the J.B.A.A. and appreciation of the C.P.R.'s efforts in the extension of their docks and facilities," Mayor J. Carl Pendray stated last night, in commenting upon the result of the vote.

"The C.P.R., through Captain Troup, has done much for Victoria by giving us the finest fleet of coastwise vessels in the world. Extra accommodation is absolutely necessary if Victoria is to remain the headquarters of the B.C. Coast Steamship Service.

"The removal of the J.B.A.A. clubhouse will improve the appearance of the Inner Harbor and give the club a modern and up-to-date home and an ideal location for aquatic sports. The new quarters will do much to revive the glories of the past," the mayor concluded.

J.B.A.A. Gratified

Mr. R. F. Taylor, president of the J.B.A.A., said that the membership was particularly gratified with the result of the vote and wished to express their thanks to the citizens of Victoria for support of the by-law. "The passage of the by-law is beneficial to everybody. It not only paves the way for port development, but gives the J.B.A.A. new headquarters, which have been needed for some time.

"The new premises would do much to expand the club and increase membership and give the association an opportunity to develop in other sports in addition to rowing. There was not another rowing club on the Pacific Coast that would have a location like the new club headquarters, said Mr. Taylor.

Mr. D. O'Sullivan, captain of the J.B.A.A., said that it was up to the young men of this city to take advantage of the sports that would be developed by the club. Instead of confining its efforts to rowing, the J.B.A.A. would now be able to encourage swimming, tennis, bowling and

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General Bramwell Booth Has Interview With King

LONDON, March 31.—"We had some talk about sending out emigrant boys," remarked General Bramwell Booth, Salvation Army head, after an interview with King George, at Buckingham Palace yesterday.

"The King has always taken a benevolent view of our activities in that direction and on occasion has helped us financially," the General added. "The King looks at this matter, as I think, from the right angle. He realizes that it is not merely a question of relief and assistance on this side but the development of the splendid resources of the Empire."

The King talked with General Booth for forty minutes.

Premier Taschereau for Appeals to Privy Council

QUEBEC, March 31.—Premier Taschereau, in the Legislature today, resuming the debate on the motion of E. Theriault, member for L'Islet, to abolish appeals to the Privy Council, asked Mr. Theriault to withdraw the motion.

The Premier said he knew the member well enough to understand his idea was to set people thinking on the matter.

"We are British subjects," said the Premier. "We are to remain that way, I hope, no matter what Mr. Bourassa may think. Since we are British subjects, then let us be real British subjects and retain the right to go to the foot of the Throne."

Equal Suffrage Bill To Be Shelved This Year

LONDON, March 31.—Equal suffrage for which a determined fight is being made by many prominent English women, apparently is due to be shelved as far as the present session of Parliament is concerned.

As a result of a cabinet meeting today to consider the question of extending the vote to women at twenty-one, instead of thirty, it is likely that the entire matter will be referred to a joint conference of all political parties.

Montreal Epidemic Shows First Decrease Noted

MONTREAL, March 31.—Only sixty-nine cases of typhoid were reported in Montreal today and for the first time since the epidemic broke out it has in the last two days shown indications of decrease.

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When a wife wishes she had gone in for a career instead of marriage, you can bet your bottom dollar she doesn't wish it half as much as her husband does.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Norman Kittson Dies

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 31.—Norman Kittson, known to many old-timers in Western Canada, died here today, aged ninety-one. He was the eldest son of Commodore Kittson, who was associated with James J. Hill in his railway and construction enterprise in the Northwest during the early days.

Fire Extinguished

MADRID, March 31.—A small fire occurred today on board the Spanish steamer Tordera, off the coast of Morocco, according to advices from Ceuta. The Tordera had landed a detachment of troops just before the fire started. The blaze was extinguished with slight damage.

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Pure Pepper, black or white, 3 shaker tins for 25c

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Beehive Corn Table Syrup, 10-lb. tin for ..... 68¢

Pure Raspberry Jam, choice, 4-lb. tin for 50c
Economy Ceylon Tea, per lb.

Choice Currants, 2 lbs for
Seedless Raisins, 2 lbs. for 25c

Classic Cleanser, 2 tins for
Lifebuoy Soap, 2 cakes for 15c

Large Ripe Bananas, per dozen ..... 35¢
Oranges, Sweet Navels, regular 40c dozen, for ..... 30¢
Chocolate Eclairs, 4-lb. cartons for ..... 29¢

Choice Tomatoes, 2's, per tin ..... 10¢
Empress Baking Powder, 12-oz. tin for ..... 19¢
Mrs. Haines' Orange Marmalade, 2's, per tin ..... 29¢
Pure Maple Syrup, pint bottles ..... 39¢

Fancy Carolina Rice, 3 lbs for ..... 29¢
Rockland Coffee, regular 65c lb. for ..... 49¢
Demerara Sugar, 3 lbs. for ..... 25¢
Flour, Five Roses, Royal Household, 49-lb. sack $2.10

SHREDDED WHEAT BISCUITS 10c
VAN CAMP'S TOMATO SOUP 10c
SHOE POLISH All colors 10c

MEATS, PROVISIONS, FRUIT

New Zealand Butter, Anchor Brand, 3 lbs., $1.30, per lb. ..... 44¢
Kirkham's Best Creamery Butter, 3 lbs., $1.35, per lb. ..... 46¢
Fresh Made Pork Pies, 3 for ..... 25¢
Choice Cured Breakfast Bacon, piece, per lb., 35¢, sliced ..... 39¢
Fresh Sliced Ayrshire Roll, per lb. ..... 39¢
Fancy English Polony, per lb. ..... 29¢
Choice Jellied Tongue, per lb. ..... 49¢
Delicious Veal Loaf, sliced, per lb. ..... 33¢
Pure Shamrock Lard, 3 lbs., 55¢, per lb. ..... 19¢

Fresh Rhubarb, 2 lbs. for
New Dates, 3 lbs. for 25c

Peanut Brittle Candy, per lb.
Chocolate Dates, per lb. 20c

Ontario Mild Cheese, per lb. ..... 27¢
Empress Pineapple Marmalade, 2 lbs. for ..... 35¢
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MR. CAHAN MAKES PREMIER TARGET

DEBATE ON IMPERIAL CONFERENCE REPORT CONTINUED BY MONTREAL MEMBER

Mr. King's Policy Described as One of Negation With Nothing Positive to Present

OTTAWA, March 31.—Mr. C. H. Cahan, Conservative, St. Lawrence-St. George, Montreal, today continued his attack on Premier King. Today Mr. Cahan declared of the Prime Minister: "He now seeks, by the tacit approval of this House, not having the courage to present the report of his own work for approval and consideration, to proceed to disrupt every one of those ties which bind and connect us with Great Britain and Ireland and with the Dominions beyond the seas.

"And while he is endorsing and proposes to carry out a policy of disruption, he has not one single positive idea to present to this House as to the formation of the new connection and as to the new alignments, if the position of Canada is to be maintained in the whole."

The statements came in another day of debate on the Imperial Conference report on equality of status.

Mr. J. T. Thorson, Liberal, Winnipeg South Centre, thought the work of the conference had been a great step forward. Mr. J. S. Woodsworth, Labor, Winnipeg North Centre, felt the report had not changed the generally accepted situation that when Great Britain was at war, Canada was at war.

The debate was adjourned by Hon. H. R. Bennett, Conservative, West Calgary, and will not be resumed until Tuesday of next week. Friday will be given over to Government business.

BRITAIN WISHES GENERAL ACTION

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ernment is known to be reluctant to act separately, considering the case one suited for united action by the Powers.

The delay in delivery of the note to the Chinese authorities is taken to indicate that some difficulty is being encountered in securing the assent of other governments to join action. The British press and public are displaying keen anxiety for Great Britain and the United States to move together in whatever action is taken. The London and Washington governments are said to be keeping in close touch by cable concerning China. London also is constantly exchanging views with other capitals regarding the latest reports on the situation which are received from the Ambassadors in Peking.

Sir Austen Chamberlain, Foreign Secretary, upon whom the burden of making the British demands rests, received Sir Laming Worthington-Evans, war secretary at the Foreign Office this morning, the Foreign Secretary also conferred with Premier Baldwin during the day.

Nationalist Commander Talks

SHANGHAI, March 31.—Coincident with further reports of anti-foreign activities in various sections of Nationalist-controlled China, General Chang Kai-Shek, Cantonese commander-in-chief, today protested against the presence of foreign troops and warships in Shanghai, contending that such a display of force did more harm than good.

"We are not anti-foreign," the Nationalist military leader declared, "but pro-Chinese. Our aim is to secure international equality, to become an equal in the family of nations."

Estimating that the Anglo-American bombardment of Socony Hill, Nanking, last week, had caused the deaths of six Chinese and the wounding of fifteen others, General Chang said that he had given instructions for the lodging of a protest with the British and American naval authorities against what he considered "the unjustified bombardment of the city."

The general said that a full and accurate report on the Nanking bombardment was not as yet available and that his estimate of Chinese casualties was subject to revision.

As far as the display of foreign force in Shanghai was concerned, he said, foreigners must understand that the old policy of force and warships "which prevailed in China of the last century, no longer serves any useful purpose. Every additional warship and soldier sent out to China fails to produce the desired effect, and really does the sending nation more harm than good."

The elaborate defence measures in the Shanghai international settlement as well as the refusal of the authorities to permit the Nationalists to share the work of protecting the Chinese masses within those settlements he termed an "intolerable condition."

Unconscious Irony

"I hope the settlement authorities will of their own accord abolish martial law, withdraw their troops and warships," he said, "and permit the Nationalist authorities to undertake what is their duty—the function of protecting foreign lives and property within Chinese territory."

Asserting that it was unbelieveable because of the display of foreign forces in the settlements, feeling between the Chinese and the foreign population was growing more tense every day, he declared, that such a condition could not last long.

In the course of his interview with foreign correspondents, General Chang said that full investigation of the Nanking incident was being made and that he was prepared to give full satisfaction and even indemnity to the wounded and to the families of those who were killed if his inquiry fixed responsibility on the Nationalist forces.

Reports of the anti-foreign activities which have led to a general flight of foreigners in the interior to Shanghai and the coast, included advices from Chungking on the Yangtze River in Szechewan Province, that Chinese mobs had torn down and destroyed the American flag on the United States consulate.

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Coming to Canada on Tour of Dominions

LIEUT.-COL. L. C. AMERY
British Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs, who will pass through Canada in the Autumn on a tour to the Dominions. He will visit Australia, New Zealand, and South Africa.

LORD WILLINGDON WARMLY GREETED BY UP-ISLANDERS

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Cowichan Chapter of the I.O.D.E., presented a bouquet of violets to Her Excellency. Betty Russel, daughter of Mrs. W. R. Russel, president of the Women's Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion, presented a basket of flowers.

The presentation of flowers to Her Excellency was followed by an address given by Lord Willingdon, in which he asked that a holiday be given to the school children tomorrow. This remark was followed by general rejoicing amongst the school children.

The viceregal party then proceeded to the rooms of the Cowichan Women's Institute, where a baby clinic was in progress. Their Excellencies had expressed a desire to visit the clinic. There were some thirty mothers present. Dr. H. P. Swan presided, with Miss J. Jeffaries, supervisor of the Cowichan Health Centre, in attendance, and Miss Nora Armstrong and Miss Esther, nurses of the health staff, assisting. Miss Lyne and Miss Higgs, student nurses under the Health Centre, also assisted at the clinic.

Mrs. Moss, president of the executive of the Health Centre, acted as hostess, assisted by members of the executive, Mrs. R. H. Whidden, Mrs. T. Pitt, Mrs. R. C. McGregor, Mrs. H. A. Patterson, Mrs. C. F. Davie, Mrs. George Owen and Mrs. Robson.

Interested in Children

Little Barbara Corfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Corfield, presented Lady Willingdon with a bouquet of violets. Their Excellencies took a keen interest in the children, Lady Willingdon picking some of the babies up in her arms and kissing them.

Lord Willingdon showed his interest in the clinic by taking the flower from his buttonhole, and presenting it to Mary, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Pettit.

Mrs. R. H. Whidden, who has been secretary of the Health Centre since its inception, presented Lady Willingdon with a bound book containing the activities of the clinic since its inauguration.

Prior to the departure of the party for up-Island points His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Robert Randolph Bruce expressed a desire to visit Duncan at some future date.

At Nanaimo

NANAIMO, March 31.—Lord and Lady Willingdon arrived in Nanaimo shortly before 4 o'clock this afternoon from Victoria en route to Qualicum where they will spend a week's holiday. The viceregal party was met at the city limits by Mayor Busby, and members of the city council, who escorted them to the Totem Pole, where Mr. Webb, superintendent of the city schools, headed a party of Nanaimo pupils, who gave Their Excellencies a royal welcome. The party then proceeded to the headquarters of the Canadian Legion in G.W.V.A. Hall, Chapel Street, where they were greeted by President Sampson, of the Nanaimo branch, Canadian Legion, and Mrs. McMinn, president of the Women's Auxiliary.

Tea was served and after local citizens had been presented to Their Excellencies the viceregal party proceeded to Qualicum.

At Qualicum Beach

QUALICUM BEACH, March 31.—The Viceregal Party arrived here at 6:30 p.m., by motor, and immediately proceeded to the Qualicum Beach Hotel, where rooms in what was formerly known as the Patricia Ward have been provided for them. Their Excellencies will spend tomorrow resting, will participate in no ceremonies of any kind. They were accompanied here by a guard of four Provincial Police, under Sergeant Owens.

On the way to Qualicum there were two unscheduled delays. At Chemainus the Girl Guides and school children were drawn up awaiting the arrival of the Governor-General and Lady Willingdon. The party stopped and inspected them, chatting informally with the children. At Westholme the school children were also awaiting their arrival, and there again there was another halt.

Leaves China After Years of Mission Work

REV. AND MRS. E. F. P. SCHOLES
Who, after twenty-five years in Chinese missionary fields for the English Wesleyan Mission, are returning to England via Canada. The party left Hanyang on January 29. Rev. Mr. Scholes reports that the feeling against Canadians and Americans is even more bitter than against the English.

Harry F. Sinclair Loses Motion for New Trial

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Harry F. Sinclair, millionaire oil operator and sportsman, today lost his last effort to avoid sentence being imposed upon him in the District of Columbia Supreme Court for contempt of the Senate.

Justice Hitz overruled a motion for a new trial and by agreement of counsel set tomorrow for hearing argument as to whether there had been one or more offences committed when the lessee of the Teapot Dome naval oil reserve in Wyoming refused to answer a series of questions put to him by the Senate oil committee three years ago. Counsel for Sinclair informed the court that they took the position that the refusal to answer all questions constituted a single offence, the penalty of which could not be less than one month nor more than twelve months in jail, and a fine of not less than $100 and not more than $1,000.

Government counsel announced that they were prepared, however, to argue that refusal to answer a question constituted a separate offence and that the minimum sentence to be imposed would be four months in jail, one month on each count in the indictment and the maximum sentence twelve months on each count.

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Girls Sing in Chorus That All Have Hopes

WINNIPEG, Man., March 31.—Two hundred Norwegian settlers reached Winnipeg this morning over C.P.R. lines from Ss. Monirose, on the longest immigrant special to travel west for over ten years. These newcomers, including families of six and seven and single men, are from the agricultural districts of Norway.

Forty British families were included in the 800 Western settlers on the great special of twenty cars which reached the Canadian Pacific Railway station at 8:50 this morning. Eight of them are for settlement in Manitoba, two more will leave tonight to farm in the Peace River district and the rest for Southern Alberta and Saskatchewan.

There were also fifteen good-looking girls who chorused that none of them were yet engaged, but one and all had hopes. Judging from their appearance, the fulfillment of these "hopes" will not be long delayed.

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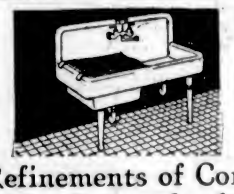
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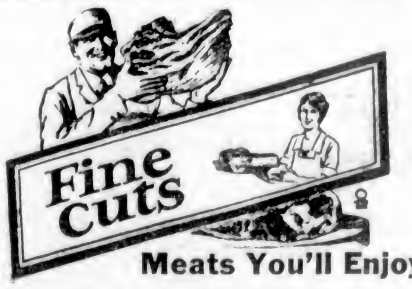

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NATIONALISTS TO CONTROL CHINA?

Canadian Student Throws Light on Present Struggle and Makes Prediction—North Is Crumbling

BRITAIN'S DIFFICULT POSITION EXPLAINED

By PROF. W. WALLACE GOFORTH, M.A. School of Chinese Studies, McGill University. Address to Empire Club, Toronto.

The Chinese puzzle has held too little interest among Canadians until recently; especially Canadians of the central and eastern provinces. We have been rather vaguely conscious of some forty thousand Celestials in our midst, and have rather breathed a sigh of relief that the majority of these are in British Columbia and not in Ontario. Many have also made the mistake of judging this nation by the occupational status of most of the Celestials in our midst; and in spite of the fact that seventy-five per cent of the Chinese have never heard of soap and know nothing of its use, yet we have judged them as a nation of laundrymen. We have taken considerable pride, however, in the splendid organization which the Canadian Pacific Railway has built in transpacific transportation, an organization unsurpassed by any other line of the United States or Japan or anywhere else.

Why Our Interest Has Grown

From May, 1925, however, this rather slack interest of Canadians in Chinese affairs has grown by leaps and bounds, and increased every day. A number of factors have caused this increase. First, is the unenviable plight in which our Mother Country has found herself as the focal point of a bitter hatred on the part of some misguided Chinese, a hatred inspired from the outside as well as the inside, a hatred which did not originate in Russia, for it existed long before Bolshevist Russia came into being, but upon which Russia has poured the oil of misunderstanding and suspicion, which has increased the flames until they are now blazing brightly.

We have also noticed that our trade with China has been growing very rapidly in recent years. Advance figures from the Department of Trade and Commerce show that Canadian exports to China last year were not only the greatest on record, but equal to the total from Confederation to 1913. More and more, eyes are turning towards the Pacific; it is becoming the centre of human thought and action and intercourse and we are taking a greater interest in it. Our trade with China is not the type we need to fear or beware of. There are very few things we import from China that are competing with our own lines, and the things we send are very much needed there. For instance, Chinese millers, find our No. 1 hard wheat essential for their flour; they are also wanting our lumber from British Columbia, and with the present growth of education and of Chinese newspapers, there is a growing demand for newsprint on the part of the Chinese. This immense market, only a part of which has been scratched in the past, is now opening, opening because of three main causes which have come into being during the last generation.

Revolution Was Real Cause

The first fundamental idea we must grasp in order to understand the present situation centres around the revolution of 1911. The revolution of 1911 did not mean a mere change in the appearance of government from an Imperial Manchu dynasty to a so-called republic. It was more than that. It gave a great impetus to political thought in China, and it gave a great impetus to those who, like Yung Chu Chow, the Rousseau of China, had done their thinking and writing in secret for fear of losing their heads. Now they came into the open and told the people what they needed, and tried to inspire a new nationalism, a new consciousness of their rights, and of their equality with other nations.

The second thing was the retrocession of the Boxer indemnity on the part of the American Government, and their insistence that the money be used to send Chinese students to the United States. This I would call the intellectual renascence of China, which is one of the fundamental causes of the present situation. If you look down the list of Who's Who in China you will find a large proportion of China's outstanding men today were educated at Harvard, Princeton, Yale, Chicago, and so on, a larger proportion than in any other country. In the Nationalist cabinet, today, Harvard and Yale predominate. One of the most important members is a graduate of the London School of Economics, and it is rather interesting to relate that he is also a graduate of a Jesuit seminary, where, probably, he achieved some of his splendid philosophic insight into the political difficulties and political questions, and then in the London School of Economics gained his grounding in the essential causes of China's industrial and commercial difficulties.

Effect of Great War

The third factor, which is all-important in the Chinese situation, the third fundamental cause, was the Great War of 1914 to 1918. This brought about the industrial revolution of China. I am not saying that the industrial revolution has gone its limit yet, any more than ours has gone its limit yet, but the industrial revolution in China came in 1914 with the abnormal demand for Chinese goods in war-torn Europe. The industries of China began to grow rapidly, and a new industrial working class developed. It also opened up a great deal of country previously closed to foreign intercourse. It has been estimated by Professor Rimmer, of St. John's University, Shanghai, that about eight per cent of China, even today, has not been touched by foreign intercourse, except possibly by foreign missionaries. He claims that the only part of China that has, or uses, any foreign articles, or sends any articles abroad, is this twenty per cent along the coast and up the rivers, and along the 8,000 miles of railroads—only one fifth of the Canadian railway mileage, although the population of China is forty times greater.

Brought About Crisis

This industrial revolution, the intellectual renascence and the revolution in political thought, these three things have brought about the present crisis. The present crisis is an exceedingly complicated and difficult one. There is one thing I would like to say at this point; it is that the need to change the previous conditions under which we as foreigners lived in China, was not realized by western powers until it was almost too late. It appears to be almost too late now. The strategic time, judged by the statements of eminent students of Chinese history, the strategic time when the western powers, and Britain especially, should have taken the lead in changing these special privileges and conditions under which we live, the treaty rights, was in 1912, when the Manchu dynasty had fallen and when Yuan Shih-kai was firmly in the saddle, for a while at least. The dictatorship of Yuan Shih-kai did not affect the Cantonese nationalists nearly as much as his inability to revise these treaties. Sun Yat-Sen had nailed down in his platform, even before the revolution, that essential plank, the revision of these unequal rights. But we did not grasp that at that time. Possibly all eyes were fixed on Europe and the impending war, and we did not realize the results of procrastination. If they had been realized then, that would have prevented China being scattered with this color scheme of military satrapies which we look upon today. But the opportunity was not taken.

Treaty Rights Were Essential

I have consulted several Chinese of all shades of political thought, intellectual Chinese, as to the justice of these treaty privileges in the first stage of western intercourse with the Far East, and nearly all of them admit they were essential at that stage. Those who have told you that we had no business going to China, that we were never wanted there, are wrong. All intelligent Chinese today will thank us for what we have sent to them; they will thank us for many things. Some of the things are associated with our progress in trade and industry, others with our medical missionaries, who have alleviated a great deal of suffering, and others with educationists in China. These things they appreciate, at least the vast majority of them appreciate—their leaders above all—for the great majority of Chinese leaders today are educated, at least they have come in close contact with, and have received their impetus from western ideas. And they admit that when an irresistible force, like our dynamic west, comes in contact with an immovable object like the changeless east, it required some device to soften the impact, and that device was this group of so-called unequal treaties. The form they took was naturally judged according to the needs of the time. The special concessions of land along the coast and up the rivers were necessary in order to prevent the possibility of destruction of property and warehouses, and to give security to treaty relations. On the other hand, there was another privilege which we gained during this time, which we speak of as extra-territoriality. It merely meant that we claimed jurisdiction over our own nationals throughout China; they were to be tried in our own courts. Why? Because the judicial system under the Manchus was notoriously corrupt; and Chinese will admit that today. One of the reasons for the revolution of 1911, one of their slogans, was to abolish this system and set up a new and humane system in its place. In 1912 they had at least planned this new system, had it down on paper, and they wanted to put it into effect.

Corruption in Customs

Added to these previous special privileges there was another question, the control of the Chinese customs. During the nineteenth century, the earlier part of it, and getting worse toward the time when the customs were taken over, western merchants found themselves open to extortion on the part of the central government, and also the government was unable to check the leakage of funds through the collectors. It is estimated that only one-fifth of the cus-

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In this connection five prizes, ranging from $25 to $2.50 will be awarded by the Home Products Fair committee for the best ideas submitted by way of a show-card contest, to serve as a continuous display throughout the year.

Details of the competition were outlined at the meeting of the advertising sub-committee. The suggestion was advanced by A. H. Alexander, of the Holsum Products Company, and includes $50 for prizes to the successful entrants. The prizes will be distributed as follows: $25, $10, $7.50, $5 and $2.50. Entries must be in the hands of the committee by Monday, April 25, the opening day of the Home Products Fair.

The contest is to secure the best ideas for a year-around display by show-cards, setting out the advantages of the encouragement of home industry in all its forms. The judging will also take into account the design of the show-cards and other details, but it is ideas that are wanted chiefly, and the prizes are to go for the best ideas advanced in the contest.

The sub-committee at work on the plans for the contest is composed of Mr. M. P. Blair, chairman, Messrs. H. J. Pendray, A. E. Todd and Victor Clarke. The judges reserve the right to make use of any idea submitted during the competition, for the promotion of interest in the Fair.

A feature display of the show-cards turned in will be exhibited in a special section of the fair, and from these ideas will be taken the ones that will carry the permanent campaign in the interests of made-in-Victoria goods. Judging of the show-cards will take place on Saturday, April 30, the closing date of the Fair.

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A PROGRESSIVE VOTE

The result of the vote on the Oswego Street By-Law is evidence of a substantial recognition by the citizens of what is undoubtedly in the interests of port development. It is an evidence of a staunch faith in the investments which the Canadian Pacific Railway has made in this community and a desire to co-operate with that company. The judgment of those who believe that the present quarters of the J.B.A.A. should be removed from the harbor waterfront so as to allow more space for commercial undertakings has been amply vindicated and the citizens have fully appreciated the generosity of the C.P.R. in making such removal possible. It is true that yesterday's vote was a light one, but it was a clear evidence of public opinion. The citizens are to be congratulated on their verdict and, in turn, we are certain their decision will be appreciated to the full by the C.P.R. and the J.B.A.A., who derive mutual benefits.

THE NAVY LEAGUE BAND

It is by no means a pleasant reflection on Victorians that the concert given by the boys' band of the Navy League on Wednesday evening should have been so poorly attended. Apart from the fact that Their Excellencies, the Governor-General and Lady Willingdon, were present to wish the boys good luck on their approaching tour through the Dominion and Great Britain, the band is an excellent musical organization of its kind, essentially a Victoria creation and it was making an appeal to the patriotism of Victorians for funds for the preliminary expenses of its tour. His Excellency was highly pleased with the performance, so pleased indeed that he has promised to communicate with His Majesty in the hope that he will be graciously pleased to give the band a reception when it is in London. Under these circumstances, we repeat that Victorians could well have been expected to give greater support to the Navy League band.

In connection with the forthcoming tour of the boys a sum of $2,000 is still needed so that all preliminary expenses may be covered. The appeal for the money has been in the making for several weeks past and as yet the objective of $5,000 has not been realized. It will be an unhappy commentary on the pride of our citizens in what is proposed if the balance of the sum required is not provided without any further delay. It is the first time that a band of this character will have gone from these shores to the Mother Country. Already the most ample and enthusiastic preparations have been made for its reception; indeed, the growing interest in the tour appears to be more marked in Britain than in this city. Possibly our citizens have been engaged with two many other pleasurable preoccupations to realize that the Navy League Band sets out on its travels within a fortnight. The time is short. The boys should leave here with the knowledge that they go with the fullest encouragement of our citizens. They will be in reality on an educative tour, and, moreover, a tour of the highest advertising value in drawing the attention of people overseas to the capital of British Columbia. From these standpoints, and on account of the initiative and enterprise the boys are showing, there should be at least equal support accorded them by the citizens. Only $2,000 is required to complete their fund. That amount could be subscribed in a day, and because of the interest inspired in their tour in high quarters, and all that tour means, the City Council would make no mistake if it increased its subscription to the fund that is being collected.

FRENCH PREPAREDNESS

France, by new legislation, is increasing her professional Army from its present strength of 70,000 to 105,000. A Bill has been adopted "for the organization of the country in time of war" and it is notable that it has been carried by a vote of 500 to 31 in the Chamber, the only opponents to the measure being a handful of Communists. This Bill is one of four designed for army reorganization and reform. What is proposed includes regrouping of the Army, a new scheme of mobilization, the reduction of the period of compulsory service from eighteen months to twelve, and elaborate preparations for guarding the new eastern frontier which is delimited by the inclusion of Alsace-Lorraine in the republic. The new legislation, it is explained by the Minister of War, is not provocative in any sense, and, in the main, it does not become effective until the country is in a state of war.

France hereafter will recognize the doctrine that when a country is at war all her nationals are implicated and are therefore to render aid. In other words she will have authority to mobilize her entire population—men and women—for either military or civil service. There is to be provision made in times of peace for the exercise of such power, and that power also includes the requisitioning of all stores or commodities, or means of production which may be necessary to the successful prosecution of any war. It is significant that a Chamber which contains such a variety of political complexions should be willing to trust the Government with such powers. The Legislation even goes so far as to provide that Deputies of the Chamber itself who decide to fight can appoint proxies to act for them during their absence. There is some vagueness connected with the new scheme, or schemes of preparedness, and some dubiety exists as to the nature of the powers conferred on the Government. It is deeply significant, however, that such authority should be given. It indicates, as The London Times points out, that France "rightly feels that no precautions against such a calamity as invasion are excessive, and that all burdens and sacrifices they may demand are more tolerable than the mere risk of war upon her soil." Such is the lesson that France has learned as an outcome of the Great War.

MR. CHURCHILL'S CRITICS

Mr. Winston Churchill's book on the Great War has aroused a multiplicity of critics but out of all the criticism emerges the fact that it is a monumental work, and, as The Liverpool Post says, may become for most readers "the classic record of Europe's Gethsemane." Mr. J. L. Garvin says that it ranks amongst those few contemporary accounts of the Great War which "can no more be forgotten than the thundering transaction itself can pass from the recollection of men." A mixed tribute paid to Mr. Churchill comes from the pen of Mr. J. A. Spender in The Westminster Gazette. Mr. Spender admits he is dazzled and stunned by the author, and that while he admires the "impetuous rhetorical style in which he clothes his narrative" he feels that it is highly unsuitable to the discovery of truth on subjects that require cool and scientific handling. He admits, however, that no one but Mr. Churchill could have written these volumes, in fact that no one would have dared to write them. Here is commentary from Major General Sir F. Maurice in The London Daily News:

He ascends Olympus and from its heights surveys the World War, from Verdun to the Armistice; he assumes the god and with divine impartiality hurls his thunderbolts at Admirals and Generals, British, French and German. With divine omniscence he determines strategy by land and sea, fights battles with equal confidence on the wooded heights of the Meuse, the uplands of the Somme, the mountains of Transylvania, and the waves of the North Sea. Withal the vigor of his English and the grace of his style sweeps his reader onward through a maze of technicalities and controversies from the first page to the last of the two fat volumes. Yet Mr. Churchill's methods will make the serious historian wince, though I dare wager that ten will read him for everyone who will read sober history.

Another critic, Lord Beaverbrook, admits that the book is brilliantly written "and leaves one agape at the intellectual energy which can combine so much good writing with the practical conduct of affairs." "If," says Lord Beaverbrook, "politics have gained little, as some will assert, from Mr. Churchill's intervention, it is quite certain that literature and history sustained a distinct loss when Mr. Churchill decided to be a man of action rather than of letters."

The net gain of the Jewish population of Palestine continues to increase yearly under the repatriation scheme fostered by the British authorities. The British Colonial Office announces that during the twelve months ending on December 31 last 13,056 Jews—5,932 men, 4,580 women and 2,544 children—entered Palestine as immigrants. During the same period 7,340 Jews emigrated from Palestine, so that the net increase of the Jewish population was 5,716 through immigration.

Mr. J. S. Woodsworth wants all Canadians to flee from China while the present troubles there are in progress. Is this a necessary corollary to the policy of the Government which Mr. Woodsworth supports that there is no necessity for Canadian protection of Canadian subjects in China?

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., March 31, 1927

TEMPERATURES

	Min.	Max
Victoria	41	48
Vancouver	42	48
Kamloops	38	54
Barkerville		40
Prince Rupert	40	58
Estevan	34	46
Atlin	8	42
Dawson, Y.T.	2	36
Portland, Ore.	40	52
San Francisco, Cal.	50	58
Seattle	38	54
Spokane	46	48
Penticton	37	56
Vernon	27	51
Grand Forks	34	55
Nelson	37	48
Kaslo	35	52
Cranbrook	27	56
Calgary	24	28
Edmonton	20	24
Swift Current	32	44
Prince Albert	26	36
Qu'Appelle	14	34
Winnipeg	28	36

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, and cold at night.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Partly cloudy, with occasional showers.

THURSDAY

Maximum	48
Minimum	41
Average	44
Minimum on the grass	39

Bright sunshine, 3 hours, 6 minutes.
Rain, trace.
General state of the weather, cloudy.

5 P.M. Weather Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 29.79, wind, N.E., 12 miles, fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.80; wind, N.E., 6 miles, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.86, wind, W., 4 miles, cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.88, calm, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.86, calm, clear.

Estevan—Barometer, 29.74, wind, S.E., 8 miles, cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.74; wind, S.W., 4 miles, cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.74; wind, E., 8 miles, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.91, wind, S., 8 miles, raining.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

Now that we have learned from the newspapers what the Chinese are fighting about, and have not profited greatly as a result of the instruction, we are going to "tell the world" exactly what the Chinese are fighting for. The outs in China are fighting to get in, and the ins in China are fighting to keep the outs from getting in. The factions in China are fighting for office and the spoils of office, just as the political factions in other parts of the world engage periodically in fights for office and the spoils of office.

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In China, as in parts of South America, political institutions are not highly developed, and the practice of holding elections—general elections and by-elections—has not been firmly established. Consequently when the outs think it is time they got in, instead of holding general elections, they organize revolutions and attempt to drive the ins out. If the revolutions are successful, the successful parties proceed to establish themselves in positions of temporary security by shooting a certain number of politicians and cutting the heads off as many prominent politicians as they can lay hold of. That is what the Chinese are doing, and unfortunately they are ignoring their national duty to protect the lives and property of foreigners in doing it.

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We do not say that there are no wrongs in China which should be made rights; that there are no grievances in China which should not be redressed. There are many countries in the world that are better governed than China has been governed, and even in those well-governed countries there always are, and doubtless will be, wrongs that should be righted. We believe Canada is a better governed country than China, but we do not believe that the Government of Rt. Hon. William Lyon Mackenzie King is a perfect Government. We do not even believe that the Government of Hon. John Oliver is a perfect Government, notwithstanding the fact that one member of that Government says his conscience troubles him not at all.

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But we have been glancing hastily at our outline of history (not the much-lauded work of that extraordinary genius and reformer, Mr. H. G. Wells), and we have reached the conclusion that all aggressive wars and revolutions are based upon human greed and covetousness, that the towering military geniuses who set out to conquer the world (some of whom actually succeeded in conquering a large part of it), were lustful and blood-thirsty abnormalities, that they were a curse in their own times and that their ill deeds did not die with them and were not buried with their bones. The Great War was due to the ambition of a little man to emulate the example of some historically great men.

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The war in China, then, is due to lust of office and the emoluments of office. But the faction which appears to be winning the war and to be certain of the attainment of office lusts for other things besides office and the emoluments thereof. It has surveyed the possessions of foreigners, which are great, and it lusts after them. The possessions of the British in China are the richest and the most desirable, and the leaders of the conquering faction are specialy desirous of getting possession of them. That is why the generals of that faction have adopted the shibboleth of the Bolshevists of Russia and are especially bitter in their denunciations of the British.

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Otherwise there is nothing in common between the revolutionists of China and the Bolshevists of Russia. The Bolshevists of Russia have found out that their grand ambition of fomenting a world revolution is but an evil dream. Their plan of transferring the centre of the world revolution from Moscow to Pekin, or some other part of China, is quite as visionary as their original plan. The masses of the people of Russia have tasted the fruits of their own revolutionary tree, and have found it not particularly agreeable to their taste. They probably would make a summary end of their revolutionaries if they were not held in subjection by the Red Army.

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The Chinese may have been a military race at one period in the history of the world and they may have produced great military leaders at that time, but they are an essentially peaceful and non-military people at the present time. We doubt whether the Chinese could be induced to attempt to revolutionize the world by either military measures or propaganda methods. Unquestionably the Chinese would peacefully penetrate and permanently establish themselves in this and some other desirable parts of the world if measures were not taken to check their mass movements.

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The foreign nations are therefore not interested in the internal affairs of China, but they are interested in seeing that in the process of adjusting their domestic affairs the Chinese do not make their alleged hatred of foreigners an excuse for murdering and plundering the foreigners. If we know anything about the Chinese character, immediately the Chinese have completed their revolution they will become as keen as ever in business and as quite as patient and plodding in pursuit of the fruits of industry.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of April 1, 1877)

Passengers Sailed—The passenger list of the City of Panama, which sailed yesterday for San Francisco, is as follows: A. Vidler and wife, J. Crosson, W. M. Berry, Mrs. Englehardt and two children, M. C. Sare, Mrs. L. C. Bond, J. H. Libby, F. Vantassel, D. Reich, A. McGuire, L. Guinness, A. Broston, E. Jackson, A. Prisel, J. Clancy, J. Doyle and F. Hammond.

Legal—Norman Bole, Esq., of No. 26 Roland Square, in the City of Dublin, attorney-at-law and solicitor, gives notice through the Gazette of intention to apply in the next ensuing term of the Supreme Court of Assize, or at the Court of British Columbia, at the expiration of two months from March 31, to be admitted to practice in the Courts of Law in British Columbia.

Arrived—The steamer Enterprise arrived at 3.45 p.m. yesterday with the mails and the following passengers: Mrs. Clarkson, Mrs. Jolley, Miss N. Irving, Rev. Crosier, Rev. Kirley, Messrs E. Brown, J. Findlay, Webster, Page, Orr, Miller, Bell, and several others.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

Filming Viceregal Visit

Sir,—May I utilize the medium of your paper to express to the public of Victoria, the civic authorities and all those connected with the organization of events for entertainment of the viceregal party during the recent visit to our fair Capital City, my sincere appreciation for the many courtesies and the co-operation extended by all to my efforts to film the proceedings.

The work of filming such an important and popular event amongst a sea of enthusiastic onlookers and feverish motor cars is not uaually an easy undertaking. In Victoria, however, things seem to be different; order, courtesy and good mannera are undoubtedly the hall-mark of Victoria crowds. Were I asked to name the outstanding characteristic of this city I would choose courtesy—of course it would be coupled with sunshine; the two are undoubtedly synonymous.

The work of the cameraman must undoubtedly sometimes annoy the surging sightseers. His business necessitates his being frequently in the line of vision of others. At the same time he has a national duty to perform. Not many realize this: In Victoria, however, the public and authorities undoubtedly do. Their courtesy and co-operation show it.

If, as in this instance, the privileged position of the cameraman may result in introducing the charming and gracious personalities of Viscount and Lady Willingdon to the people of Canada, it will be due to the courteous co-operation of Victorians. And what more wonderful setting for such an introduction could one wish for than beautiful, sunny and courteous Victoria?

JOSEPH T. MANDY.
Fox Canadian News, Fox Film Corporation, Vancouver, B.C., March 31, 1927.

Civic Expenditures

Sir,—It is reported that the City Council at its last meeting decided to purchase Craigdarroch on the instalment system, the Mayor states, "He figured out that the city would be better off if it paid $300 a month rent than if it bought the property," also, "It is not self-supporting at the present time and not an ideal building for a school. It may be a bargain, but is it a bargain for a school?"

Alderman Adam opposed the motion on the grounds that he thought the matter should be put to the people to vote upon in the form of a by-law.

But, Mr. Editor, the report states that discussion arose as to the advisability of putting a by-law to the people. The fear was expressed that the by-law would not carry. Alderman Adam stated "that if there was any doubt about the question then the people should be asked to vote upon it."

In the face of these statements the Council, by a majority of one vote, decided that it would not consult the taxpayers, but as usual decide the question itself.

During the sessions of Parliament it was felt by the aldermen that they should have power to raise their own salaries, so it was felt that if they could get the consent of the Legislature, they could again without consulting the taxpayer, increase their own salary. I wonder if the committee of the Legislature saw through this and so decided against them.

Again, in 1921, it was felt that some method should be arranged to free the city from heavy debt and that an increase in taxes would be necessary. So a by-law was put before the people, viz., "to put a tax upon improvements." Personally, I believed this a good move, especially as a promise was made that it would be for a period only, and I voted for a tax. But, Mr. Editor, the vote was against the tax by two to one. But did the Council abide by the vote? No, sir. It ignored the voter and taxed improvements.

Now, sir, I want these facts to sink in the minds of the voter before making any further comment. The Mayor is reported to have made the following statement at the meeting I am dealing with: "He outlined his deduction and then went on to say that, owing to the fact that we have a surplus on hand we are getting too free with our money, and that if we hope to reduce the mill rate as last year we will have to cut the estimates by $87,000 and 'you talk about putting them up $25,000,' he stated."

In the face of all this we are told not to knock, but boost.

JOHN DAY.
880 Madison Street, Victoria, B.C., March 31, 1927.

Vancouver Island Apples

Sir,—With reference to the editorial paragraph in yesterday's issue re an English housewife's complaint who, whilp praising Canadian apples, expressed the opinion from practical experience that "the packing is far too tight" and that "many of the apples appeared as six-sided figures, each crushed by its neighbor."

As a grower and exporter of Cox's Orange Pippins, the favorite and most expensive variety in the Old Country, (incidentally they realised $7.50 to $8 per box wholesale), I can confirm the experience of the English housewife from personal inspection in the Old Country.

To obviate this, and particularly in the case of Cox's, which has a rather delicate skin, I always pack comparatively loosely in the box relying on the gentle pressure of the lid when fastened down to hold them secure, besides which, although it adds to the cost, all boxes intended for export among other safeguards are lined with corrugated cardboard, which absorbs any pressure from contraction of the contents when nailing on lids.

For several years I have made consignments of Cox's Orange Pippins to representatives of the British Columbia Government in London for propaganda purposes to help advertise British Columbia apples, as well as single boxes on behalf of many Victoria and Duncan residents as Christmas presents to their friends in the Old Country; also to China, and from one and all have received nothing but unqualified praise of the condition of the fruit on arrival; several remarking that they were without "bruise or blemish."

In passing I might mention that I understand Cox's apparently does better on the Island than elsewhere in British Columbia. It is rather unfortunate that there are many small shopkeepers in the Old Country, particularly in the provinces, that cannot distinguish between United States and Canadian apples. A man at Bristol, after telling me he was selling Canadian apples, said, Look, here is one box," on which I found "Californian" marked, and which he thought came from Canada. It would be an advantage if it were possible to easily distinguish the boxes themselves when displayed.

ARTHUR I. RUDKIN
Warlen, Duncan, B.C., March 30, 1927.

Who Won the War?

Sir,—I would just like to say that I fully endorse the letter appearing in today's Colonist from Frank Carlss, Royal Oak, regarding the article appearing in last Sunday's Colonist, entitled, "Who Won the War?" The sentiments he voices in his letter are same as those of many more of the British race, especially the ex-service men. It is hard to believe that such an article of super-brazenness should be written by an ex-brigadier-general, and really conveys to us the innermost thoughts of the American people regarding the war. Everyone knows the tardy actions of the Americans until the war was nearly won, and they had bled the fighting Allies of nearly all their gold. The article seems to be specially directed against the British Army and deals only with the numbers of men, not "fighting men," and once more proves conclusively that there are Americans who have a jealous spirit and hatred of Great Britain and the Empire.

H. B. BROWNING,
Ex-Service Man.
Washington Avenue, Victoria, B.C., March 31, 1927.

Spanish Troop Ship On Fire Off Morocco

LONDON, March 31.—A Lloyd's dispatch from Gibraltar says the Spanish ship Tordera, carrying troops has signalled that it is on fire near the Rocks of Velez de la Gomera, Morocco. The steamer Castilla has started to the rescue.

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To salt green-tossing sea;
A road without earth's road-dust
Is the right road for me.

A wet road heaving, shining,
And wild with seagulls' cries,
A mad salt sea-wind blowing,
And salt spray in my eyes.

My road calls me, lures me
West, East, South and North;
Most roads led men homewards,
My road leads me forth.

To add more miles to the tally,
Of gray miles left behind,
In quest of that one beauty,
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Sweden and Poland Have Ratified Peace Treaty

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, March 31.—Sweden and Poland have exchanged final ratifications of the special arbitration treaty recently negotiated between them. It provides that all disputes which can not be settled by ordinary diplomatic means must be submitted to a conciliation process, later going if necessary, to The Hague Tribunal.

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ROTARIANS WILL VISIT COURTENAY

Organization Meeting of Up-Island Body Set for April 13—Tacoma Parley This Month

The Victoria Rotary Club will send a strong delegation to the organization meeting of the new Courtenay Rotary Club, which will take place on Wednesday night, April 13, it was decided at the weekly club luncheon here yesterday in the Empress Hotel ballroom. District Governor James H. Beatty will also be supported by Rotarians from Vancouver and Nanaimo at this meeting.

The superfluities sale which Rotary is holding next Wednesday in the old Woolworth store on Government Street was considered, and Rotarian Walter Tuck, chairman of the special committee making arrangements for the event, reported. He was assured of the wholehearted support of the members and their ladies in making the sale a success.

District Governor Beatty told the members of the extensive preparations which had been made for the business sessions and the entertainment of guests at the next Rotary district conference, which will be held at Tacoma, Wash., on April 24, 25 and 26. Feature speakers of the convention will be Mr. Justice Murphy, of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, and Mr. Donald A. Adams, immediate past president of Rotary International. A large number of Victoria Rotarians will attend the gathering.

Rotarians bade farewell and extended best wishes for the future to Mr. Harry Miller, who has been promoted in the service of the Canadian General Electric Company, and will shortly move to Calgary, Alta., where he will make his headquarters.

Mr. Harod A. Beckwith and ex-Reeve George F. Watson, of Saanich, enlisted the club's support for the forthcoming Musical Festival, which will take place here on April 21, 22 and 23. There will be over 2,000 individuals competing in the festival.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

Victoria College Quarters

Sir,—In 1923 the financial position of Victoria was such that one of our most prominent financial houses would not recommend the purchase of Victoria bonds. From about that time such determined efforts have been made to retrieve the fortunes of the city that both tax rate and assessment have had substantial reductions. No one will yet consider that Victoria is beyond the need for careful handling. Some of the recent much-heralded business triumphs must be watched very carefully for a number of years before the average voter will be able to judge their value.

When one reviews the present possessions of the city, extending as they do from Saanich to Sooke, and embracing within our boundaries thousands of vacant lots, and scores, if not hundreds, of decaying buildings, one is tempted to think that Victoria has developed an obsession for acquiring "lemons" without knowing how to handle a perishable fruit. Elbert Hubbard once said, "A genius is the man that takes the lemons fate hands out to him and starts up a lemonade stand with them." The Victoria control has not yet demonstrated very much success at this game, and, until it is learned, it might be considered good policy to forego further entanglements.

Our Board of School Trustees is planning to saddle the city with Craigdarroch Castle. Forty thousand dollars may or may not be cheap for the property; but there are two questions that must be considered by the ratepayers before such a purchase is made. First, is that property suitable for College purposes? Second, Does Victoria already own property more suited for such educational needs?

The fact that the present Victoria College is housed in the "Castle" is no argument either for present satisfaction or for future expansion. This position is too typically Victorian. After a generation in such a place it would only maintain its statu(e) quo. In this age a college in such a place is much like a Douglas fir trying to grow in a flower pot. Until the trustees find a better use for this "Castle" it would be best to leave at least its purchase in the air. A modern college needs ground space; and in the developments during the next couple of generations is likely to need this much more acutely than at present.

Victoria already owns a block of four acres on Hillside Avenue, between Douglas Street and Quadra Street, back of which is a much larger parcel owned by the Provincial Government. The two parcels form one of the finest university sites on the continent. There is a choice location for a building—and many of them, if needed, and plenty of space for tennis courts and campus—and other land when required. On the city's property has been a large frame dwelling-house big enough for our present college requirements. It would have been worth $10,000 or more to the city for college purposes, but has recently been sold for $155 to a wrecker.

If the city and Provincial Government have $40,000 to spare for buying Craigdarroch, the School Board might use part of this money to erect temporary quarters on the Hillside property, and they would then be providing accommodation as good as the B.C. University had for some years at Vancouver.

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I ask one gift at close of day's fierce striving, when all the turmoil and the heat are done, and slowly, one by one, pale stars arriving, lift tiny torches up where flamed the sun. One gift alone when through with plans and scheming and countless wearing labors of the day I ask of life: a little time for dreaming, dreams brave and sweet, dreams colorful and gay. Ah, then, released from bonds the world has fashioned, what joy to shape a world to suit my mood, where hopes come true, faith flames anew, impassioned, and every act is wrought of love and good. For dreams are nearer to desires and longing; the world that is, less fair than that which seems, and so I ask a time for bright dreams thronging through twilight's dusk—and one to share my dreams!

Shakespeare Theatre Calls for $2,500,000

NEW YORK, March 31.—America is to participate $1,000,000 worth in the international movement to rebuild and endow the Shakespeare Memorial Theatre at Stratford-on-Avon, England, under plans announced today by Professor George Pierce Baker, of Yale University. In all, $2,500,000 will be raised throughout the world.

City Police Court

William Smith and H. McGregor were fined $100 each in the City Police Court by Magistrate George Jay yesterday, for being keepers of betting houses in the city. Mr. J. S. Brandon appeared as counsel for McGregor. Chief of Police John Fry testified at the hearing of the prosecution.

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Editor of Paper Sued for Million Dollars

Editor Cameron of The Dearborn Independent, Ford's weekly newspaper, now being sued for libel to the extent of a million dollars, admitted on the stand last week that he had written the personal column of Henry Ford in The Independent. He also was allowed to state that Ford had told him to apologize if he were wrong in his articles about Aaron Sapiro, the co-operative marketing expert. Cameron never apologized, and never admitted error, hence the suit.

GAINES MAKES UNUSUAL PLEA

Tells Judge During His Trial That the Whole Story Is Yet Untold

Information was received today which, the Goodwin Defence Committee declares, substantiates its repeated assertions that sufficient proof exists to justify the appeal for funds to provide adequate legal assistance for Mr. Goodwin in his fight for life against the sentence of death passed in Santa Ana last November for the alleged murder of J. J. Patterson. This information is contained in the following statement issued to The Colonist by the Goodwin Defence Committee:

"After sentencing Albert Dewey Gaines, Judge Allen asked him: 'What was the object or motive of the crime of which you were convicted?' to which Gaines replied: 'If the court please I can't answer that question.' He requested and received permission to address the court before being led away. That portion pertinent to the case is quoted here:

"'Does it occur to you that without my testimony Goodwin could not possibly have been convicted? Does it occur to you that I was star witness for the State in its prosecution or persecution of Goodwin? Does it occur to you that I made a statement to former District Attorney A. P. Nelson and Chief Deputy C. N. Mozley upon being returned to Santa Ana? That statement was investigated by the district attorney's office and proved to be absolutely true. Goodwin's statement in his own defence was branded as absolutely false by Mr. Mozley in his address to the jury in Goodwin's case, while my story was praised, explained and offered as the absolute truth in its prosecution or persecution of Goodwin.

"'Now the jury at Goodwin's trial accepted my story as the whole truth, or otherwise the State had no evidence. Now at my persecution or prosecution, the present district attorney and chief deputy, Mr. West and Mr. Blodget, proved and convinced the jury in my case that my story was an absolute lie, and explained to them why it was.

"'Now I was charged with first degree murder and convicted of second degree. The district attorney attempted to prove to the jury that the testimony of his own jailers was untrue and that my own testimony was an absolute lie, and that Goodwin's was true. The State did not have one witness to show that Goodwin, Patterson and myself ever went to San Diego, other than my own testimony.

"'Now, if the jury in Goodwin's case believed all of my story, and the jury in my case believed just half of my story, now I'll take the liberty to go further and say that if Goodwin is granted a new trial I might have an entirely different story to tell.'"

Chief Forester Will Speak Tonight At James Bay United

Mr. P. L. Caverhill, Chief Forester of British Columbia, will deliver an address in James Bay United Church this evening, when he will discuss "Forestry in B.C. and Europe."

Mr. Caverhill is thoroughly informed on this question, having studied conditions at first hand in all the principal timber countries of Europe, and will not only be able to compare methods here and there, but will outline the policy for forest areas in British Columbia and show why they differ from those in use in Europe.

This address is one of a series of public discussions of matters of importance to citizens. The meeting will commence at 8 o'clock and is open to the public, to whom a cordial invitation is extended.

The concluding meeting of the season will be on April 29, and will be a discussion of "Social Justice, or the Policy of the Church Towards Industry." The speaker will be Mr. Hugh Dobson.

They had just been married and were about to start on their wedding trip. He was embarrassed to the point of forgetfulness, but he met the situation expertly.

"Why, Harry, you've bought only one ticket," reproached the bride.

"Just like me, dear," flashed Harry, "always forgetting myself."

There was an old man who said:
"How
Shall I flee from this virulent cow?
I will sit on this tile—
And continue to smile,
Which may soften the heart of the cow."

Obituary

McCOY—The funeral of William Robert McCoy, who died Wednesday afternoon at 2418 Florence Street, will be held this afternoon, the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 2:15 o'clock. At 2:30 service will be held at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, by Rev. A. E. Nunns, and interment will be in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

MILNE—There died at Denver, Col., on March 27, Peter Milne, aged sixty-four years. He was born in Scotland and had lived at Edgerton, Alberta, and at Rapid City, Man. The body will arrive in Victoria on Sunday and will be taken to Hayward's B.C. Chapel, from where the funeral will take place on Monday at 3:15 p.m. Interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

BUCKLEY—Mr. John M. Buckley, native of Cork, Ireland, died on Wednesday at 617 Douglas Street, in his seventy-fifth year. Funeral arrangements, to be announced later, are in the hands of Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel.

WATT—There died on Thursday morning at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Elizabeth Watt, aged seventy years, wife of John Watt, of West Saanich Road. Mrs. Watt was a native of Scotland, and had resided in Saanich for thirty-six years. She is survived by her husband and five sons, George, Alex. and William, of Saanich, and John and Edward, of Somenos; one daughter, Mrs. Vernon Daly, in Seattle; also seven grandchildren and four brothers and sisters in Scotland. The funeral will take place from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home, Johnson and Vancouver Streets, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Thos. Keyworth will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

WALKER—Mr. George Wellington Walker, born in Belleville, Ont., eighty-eight years ago and a resident of Victoria for seven years past, died at his residence, 1284 Beach Drive, on Wednesday last. The body is at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Service will be held at 3:30 o'clock at St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill, Rev. William Carroll officiating. Interment will be in St. Luke's Cemetery.

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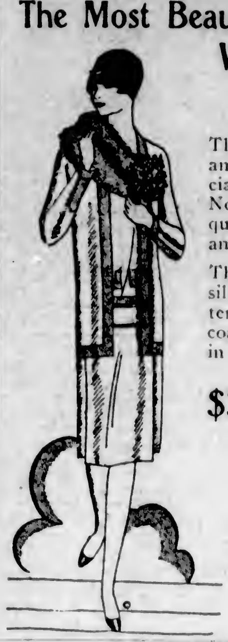

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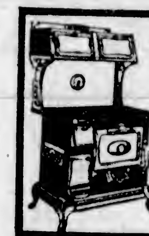

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Queen of Sweden Stays In Italy and Germany

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, March 31.—The health of Queen Victoria of Sweden will not permit her to return here this Summer, according to the latest bulletins from Rome, where she is recuperating after an attack of influenza.

The Queen probably will remain at Rome until the middle of May, and spend the Summer at Schloss Mainau, in Germany. King Gustav is remaining at Rome.

City & District

At Craigflower Old School—In connection with the welcome to Lord Willingdon on Wednesday at old Craigflower School, Mr. Hugh Palliser, the caretaker, after being presented to His Excellency, conducted the viceregal party round the building.

Interior Liberals to Meet—North Okanagan Liberals will meet at Armstrong next Thursday to choose a candidate for the Legislature at the forthcoming by-election which is expected to be held some time in June. Dr. K. C. MacDonald, former M.P.P. for North Okanagan, is mentioned as the probable choice of the convention.

Elect Officers—The annual election of officers of the Saanich Ward Seven Conservatives was held on Wednesday night with the following result: President, Mr. E. D. Murphy; vice-president, Mr. J. F. Bates; secretary-treasurer, Mr. F. Appleby; assistant secretary-treasurer, Mr. E. Listery; executive, Messrs. J. Ross, Cobb, Levings, Paterson, Charles Braden, Taylor, F. White, Beatley, J. Kershaw, Major Hibben and the Mesdames White, Howcroft, Hall, Bates and Buckin.

MR. C. F. DAVIE IS AGAIN CHOSEN AS PARTY CANDIDATE

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assured victory means that "British Columbia stands upon the threshold of a new era. An area of security and prosperity."

Security

Security, Mr. Davie said, means firstly, economy in administration and consequent relief from taxation; secondly, restoration of freedom to the people who are now bondaged with laws of restraint to such an extent that they can scarcely look around without breaking some law or regulation; and thirdly, adequate curbing of the Asiatic menace, and "preserving British Columbia for British Columbia Britishers." The policy of the Provincial Liberal Government was precisely the reverse, and that Government has committed itself to a policy, an orgy of expenditure, an untolerable network of laws and regulations, and a refusal to take steps to stem the Asiatic invasion of this Province."

Change in Government

Touching upon the fact that the Opposition being in a minority in the House was unable to do other than criticize and could not govern, Mr. Davie said, "But with the return to office of the Conservative Party under the leadership of Dr. Tolmie, I forsee an administration which will practice sound economy, and which, by removing the burden of heavy taxation, and by striking off the fetters now surrounding personal liberty, will reflect the will and desires of the people. An administration, in short, which will serve to keep our own flesh and blood in the country and entice British-born to settle and remain with us."

The incident in the House in connection with which it had been attempted to make him responsible for what was interpreted as a slur upon the loggers, was gone into by Mr. Davie, who read letters showing that he had never used the words attributed to him.

Mr. O. T. Smythe, president of the District Association, who presided at the convention, praised the work done by Mr. Davie in the redeeming of the constituency, and in the legislation he had attempted. He instanced the bills to restrict Asiatic encroachments and also made reference to Mr. Davie's bill of a previous session which was supported by Labor members and Mr. Perry, of Prince George, which had sought to provide trial by jury on appeal cases.

Nelson Wants Highway To Kootenay Landing

NELSON, March 31.—Cranbrook and Nelson branches of the Automobile Club of British Columbia at their annual meetings, Nelson's being held tonight, passed resolutions asking the Provincial Government to complete the existing transprovincial highway by constructing a road along the east side of Kootenay Lake to replace the lake ferry between Kootenay Landing and Nelson.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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GREAT MINING AREA AWAITS PROSPECTOR

Announcement Made by Dr. Forrest A. Kerr Before Vancouver Island Association

There may still be very valuable deposits of gold in the Dease Lake territory, but they will only be discovered after very careful and very skilful prospecting of a more thorough nature than has ever been undertaken before, in the opinion of Dr. Forrest A. Kerr, assistant to the chief of the Federal Geological Survey, as expressed in the course of a lecture on the mineral possibilities of the Stikine and Dease Lake areas of the Cassiar, before the Vancouver Island Prospectors' Association last night.

But to the west of the Stikine and paralleling the eastern contact of the Coast Range lies a vast district of enormous mining possibilities, as yet but little prospected, Dr. Kerr believes.

Dr. Kerr, a former Victoria boy, who received his early education at the South Park School and Victoria High School, has spent much time in the Cassiar country.

"At present we are mapping both topographically and geologically a large area along the Clearwater, Stikine and Iskut," he said. "By the Summer of 1928 we hope to have part of it, at least, complete, with maps and reports available for the prospector."

"I feel that the area—a vast virgin territory extending from Portland Canal to Atlin—about three hundred miles long and of undetermined width, is one of the great potentialities in the mining industry of the province.

"It is on inducing the prospector to go into such potentially rich sections of B.C. that the future of the mining industry depends."

Lieutenant-Governor R. Randolph Bruce moved a vote of thanks to the speaker.

A resolution moved by Mr. George E. Winkler was passed, to the effect that the association should support the efforts of the Chamber of Mines to have the northern mining districts, especially Portland Canal, included in the itinerary of the British Empire Mining Congress in its forthcoming tour of Canada during the Summer.

CHEAPER LIQUOR OFFERED, CLAIM

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$13.50 per case, C.I.F. Vancouver. The increased charge was due to the raise in the exchange.

Hon. Mr. Manson replied that he did not have the letter with him, and did not recall it. He thought that perhaps Mr. Paterson might know something about it.

"While you have recalled so much that took place before the public accounts committee of the Legislature you do not remember this letter which was before that committee," said Mr. Twigg.

Mr. Justice Morrison: "What was done with this letter, Mr. Paterson?"

"I do not know," answered Mr. Paterson.

Wants Visitor to Testify

The Attorney-General told the Commission that he was desirous of calling Sir James Calder, a director of the Distillers' Company, Limited, Edinburgh, who arrived in Victoria last night from the Antipodes, before the Commission, declaring that he believed that Sir James could clear up the whole question concerning the shortage of liquors in the Old Country at the time the British Columbia Government purchased an order of Spey Royal whiskey from Auckland.

"If we get Sir James Calder before the Commission, it may not be necessary to have this Commission go to the Old Country," he exclaimed.

Mr. Justice Morrison jocularly remarked that he did not think it would be necessary for the Commission to go over there in any case.

The Commission adjourned its session until 9 o'clock last night, but no evening sitting took place. The Commission will resume its labors this morning at 10:30 o'clock, when it will be known whether Sir James will appear before the investigating body. It is likely that the final sessions of the Commission will take place today.

Attorney-General Manson

Attorney-General Manson, who was on the witness stand all afternoon, gave evidence concerning the purchase of liquors during 1920, 1921 and 1922. He said that under the Prohibition Act, it was necessary to acquire stocks of liquors, as considerable liquor was required for medicinal purposes. Prescriptions ran into a large amount, 43,000 prescriptions being issued during the last year of prohibition in this Province. The stocks during that period were nothing like those under Government Control, but "we were in the market for liquor, however."

Mr. Maclean: "Did the Government experience any difficulty in 1920 getting small amounts of liquor that were required under prohibition?"

"Yes. Some orders that we placed with the distillers were never filled. In one instance, we ordered 600 cases of whisky from Gilbey's, England, this order was reduced by the distillers from 600 cases to 300 cases, and the remaining 300 cases were never sent."

Hon. Mr. Manson referred to the plebiscite voted upon by the people in 1920 as to whether they were in favor of a system of Government control and sale of liquor, which was carried by a large majority. The new system could not be put into effect, however, until after the Legislature had met and enacted legislation embodying the principle.

Disposal of Liquor Stocks

Witness said that members of the Government had thought that the vote on the plebiscite would result in the rejection of the proposed Government control system and the retaining of prohibition, because the women of the Province had the franchise at this time. In anticipation of that result, Prohibition Commissioner Col. J. C. Belater suggested that orders placed with distilleries be cancelled, and that the liquor supplies that the Government had on hand be sold. This proposal was objected to by Government Purchasing Agent James Paterson. The Government, however, expecting that prohibition would be retained, adopted the suggestion, and the liquor stock on hand was sold in the midsummer of 1920 at a premium of $1 a case over what it had cost the Government.

"When the plebiscite carried, we found ourselves without liquor," Hon. Mr. Manson testified.

The Attorney-General fully related how difficult it was to secure liquor, declaring that there was a shortage of stocks in the distilleries, owing to many of them being utilized as munition factories during the war, and there was thus a three-year non-distilling period; there were strikes, and shipping conditions were not favorable.

Witness produced files containing letters from Lloyd Young & Company, Distillers Company, Limited, of Edinburgh, and others, supporting his statement that there was a shortage of supplies in good liquors in 1920 and 1921. The distilleries were forced to cut down orders, and some were turned down altogether.

Price Higher Than B.C.'s Purchase

Hon. Mr. Manson read a letter written on December 15, 1922, by Mr. C. W. Beatty, general manager of the Western liquor branch of the Hudson's Bay Company, at Winnipeg, to Purchasing Agent Paterson, in which Mr. Beatty stated that the Hudson's Bay Company were quoted a price of from $32 to $36 per case for proprietary liquors, at the time there was difficulty in securing liquor shipments from the Old Country.

"That figure, is very considerably more than the British Columbia Government paid for the Spey Royal whisky which it purchased from Auckland, New Zealand, in 1921," witness declared.

Concerning an order that the Government put in to Gilby's, in England, for 600 cases of Spey Royal whisky early in 1920, witness said that 300 cases of the order were delivered, but the remaining 300 cases of the order were never filled.

Mr. C. P. Douglas, agent for Gilby's in Toronto, wrote Purchasing Agent Paterson on January 12, 1921, stating his principals could ship 500 cases of Spey Royal whisky to the Government monthly at the current rate of fifty shillings per case f.o.b. London, on condition that the Government would purchase from them supplies of gin, port and sherry when in the market for these liquors. Hon. Mr. Manson pointed out that Gilbey's had for some time past refused orders for Spey Royal whisky, unless the purchaser also handled their wines and gins.

Buy 2,000 Cases in Antipodes

Witness testified that Mr. Farris, who was Attorney-General during this period, wrote Mr. Paterson and suggested that he secure a stock of liquor in order that liquor stores might be opened on March 1, 1921, in Victoria and Vancouver. Mr. Paterson heard that 2,000 cases of Spey Royal whisky were in Auckland, New Zealand, saw Mr. J. S. O'Brien about it, and bought the lot at $18 per case between January 8 and 10, 1921.

Commissioner Malkin: "If this liquor was set down at Vancouver for $18 per case, it would have cost seventy-two shillings per case, and not eighty-five shillings per case, as stated here yesterday."

"The Government paid £8,500 for the 2,000 cases, anyway," Hon. Mr. Manson declared.

The Attorney-General told the Commission that the warehouse managers had no authority whatever to determine the quantity or the brand of the liquor to be purchased. He held Mr. Paterson solely responsible for the purchase of liquor for the Government.

Commissioner Malkin: "Was it necessary, Mr. Manson, to have had Spey Royal whisky when you bought the whisky from New Zealand?"

"Spey Royal whisky is well known in British Columbia, and many people are accustomed to it. We usually try to give the public what they wish," witness responded.

Restrictions Ease Up in 1921

Questioned by Mr. H. Despard Twigg, M.P.P., Hon. Mr. Manson stated that certain restrictions were placed by the Government in the Old Country on the sale of liquor, the Government only allowing such sale under licence, and only permitting the disposal of a certain quantity. There was a shortage of liquor, also of cooperage and bottles. These restrictions were easing up in 1921, but kept on until 1922, he averred.

Mr. Twigg: "Did not Mr. Paterson sell 4,000 cases of whisky to the Province of Alberta in July, 1920?"

"Yes, but that was because the Government anticipated that the people would vote against the introduction of a system of government control in British Columbia."

Mr. Archie Johnson, K.C., who was chairman of the Liquor Control Board from 1921 to 1924, took the stand, and was questioned by Mr. Twigg. He recalled first negotiations with the brewers in May or June, 1921, and the granting of a price of $14 per barrel of ten dozen. This price remained until the Federal Government increased the excise and sales tax, and then the brewers secured an increase in price from $14 to $15 per barrel.

"I do not think that the extra dollar that the brewers got compensated them for the extra tax," witness declared.

Did Not Make Negotiations

Mr. Twigg: "Early in 1924 an additional dollar and a half on barrels was given the brewers. Did you make that negotiation?"

"No."

"Was that matter left entirely to the purchasing agent?"

"Certainly."

"Were you consulted with regard to it?"

"I do not recollect."

Witness said when the brewers first came to the board they thought they should be allotted territories. He refused to do this and gave them to understand that he would deal with the brewers individually, and not as a combine.

Mr. Johnson recalled the days of preparation for the opening of the liquor stores as the Spey Royal shipment of 2,000 cases from New Zealand was brought forward.

There was no whisky available in British Columbia or Canada to any extent at that time. There was little time between April 15 and June 15 to get in stocks, he said, and the Government purchasing agent made purchases prior to the conception of the board, ready for the opening of the stores. In one case he had to buy from New Zealand as liquor was so hard to get. Mr. J. W deB. Farris, Attorney-General at that time, was at his wits' ends to know where to get whisky.

Commissioner Malkin: "Did you recommend agents?"

"Certainly not."

The Liquor Board had no agent of its own when it was first appointed, he said, and advised the Government purchasing agent of the liquor needed and the quantities on hand. As Deputy Attorney-General, he naturally consulted Mr. Farris on these matters.

The only purchase the board made as a board was with a Frenchman who came to Mr. Johnson and secured an order for champagne after the order had been approved.

Mr. J. W. deB. Farris, K.C., who attended the day's session of the Commission, intimated that he was in attendance because matters relating to the Attorney-General's office, during his term of office, were being brought before the Commission.

An enterprising restaurant manager, trying to stimulate business, wrote the following in chalk on the sidewalk in front of his place:

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At the Playhouses

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE Patrons of an Ocala, Florida, restaurant were recently entertained with old-time songs that many thousands of theatregoers have spent real money to hear. Blanche Ring was the singer. Miss Ring has one of the important roles in W. C. Fields' first starring picture for Paramount, "It's the Old Army Game," (Meaning, "Never give a sucker an even break"), which is now showing at the Playhouse Theatre.

VARIETY THEATRE One of the finest love stories ever filmed, as well as a remarkably vivid and colorful portrayal of the rich life of the Middle West, is to be found in the screen version of the late Gene Stratton-Porter's famous novel "Laddie," now showing at the Variety Theatre. Leo Meehan, who produced and directed the picture for F.B.O., is the noted author's son-in-law, and under his sympathetic touch the book lives again and its characters move in a surprisingly lifelike and exact fidelity to the original.

COLISEUM THEATRE Madame Muriel is the possessor of one of the rarest gifts known to humanity, that of being able to know, foretell and solve mysteries, and in other ways go beyond the limit of the average brain. Her act is not mind reading or similar to any of the many (fake) acts so often run on the stage, she does not know herself how she does it. She has been under investigation by famous scientists who proclaim her a true phychic, as genuine, and her answers have been found to be ninety-five per cent correct. Ask her any question, she will answer. Madame Muriel is now playing at the Coliseum Theatre.

COLUMBIA THEATRE One of the most dramatic and beautiful pictures shown here in months, is "Braveheart," an Alan Hale production starring Rod La Rocque, which enjoyed a highly successful premiere showing at the Columbia Theatre last night. Far above the ordinary Indian picture in theme and treatment, it proved thoroughly delightful and that it is destined to rank among the first screen offerings of its kind is a certainty.

DOMINION THEATRE Directing motion pictures in a fire house is as exciting a procedure as teaching school in an insane asylum, according to William Nigh, who spent several days with his cast filming "The Fire Brigade" at one of the big Los Angeles fire stations. This film is showing at the Dominion Theatre today. Not that the firemen weren't good actors. The trouble was that just when Nigh would get ready to say "Camera," his props and most of his cast would be called out on an alarm.

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The Screen

Capitol—"The Cheerful Fraud," starring Reginald Denny.

Columbia—Rod La Rocque in "Braveheart."

Dominion—"The Fire Brigade," featuring Charles Ray and May McAvoy.

Variety — Gene Stratton-Porter's "Laddie."

The Stage

Coliseum—"Big Magic, Vaudeville and Fun Show."

Playhouse—"The Prince of Paregoric."

Royal—"H.M.S. Pinafore."

Crystal Garden—Dancing and Swimming.

CAPITOL THEATRE One of the most rapid rises to screen popularity in the history of the motion picture industry is that of Reginald Denny, the popular star of Universal's "The Cheerful Fraud," the picture now playing here at the Capitol Theatre. A fine vaudeville bill is being offered in addition to the feature attraction. The stellar act of the trio of presentations offers "Alphonse," the singing accordionist, in a special musical divertissement. Groh and Parmlee offer "The Hollywood Boob," a novelty singing act, and Juan Lucay and Anitra will be seen in "A Wee Bit of Terpsichorean Art." The orchestra will be in attendance for the feature attraction.

Madame Matzenauer Appears in Concert at Royal on Tuesday

Margarete Matzenauer, who will sing at the Royal Victoria on Tuesday, April 5, at 8:30, makes a most regal looking Princess in Aida. She is superb in appearance and voice. Every velvety tone is beautiful and glorious, from the deep rich organ tones to the exquisite delicate soprano notes. Mme. Matzenauer says of singing as a profession, "The life of a singer is the most difficult one in the world, in my opinion. Its demands are tremendous and all absorbing and unless a girl possesses unusual ability and more than average natural voice, in addition to intelligence and imagination, I would advise her to seek any other goal than that of an operatic artist." Madame Matzenauer will have her twelve-year-old daughter with her when she comes to Victoria on April 5.

President's Plans Meet Varied Reception

DIFFERENT VIEWS
The Coolidge navy cut plan has evoked a smile from John Bull and a frown from Marianne.
—The Evening Times (Glasgow).

GOVERNMENT SERVICE LOSES MINES EXPERT

Mr. William M. Brewer Retires at Age of Seventy-Five After Interesting Career in Mining

Deciding to retire from an active career at the age of seventy-five, Mr. William M. Brewer, Provincial mining engineer for the Coast District, and one of the best known mining men in Western Canada, resigned from the Government service yesterday.

During his quarter of a century as an expert investigator of mineral properties, Mr. Brewer rode or tramped into every corner of the Province, and his retirement will deprive the mineral industry of one of its most notable characters, and the Department of Mines of a highly successful official.

Mr. Brewer came to America from England as a youth of nineteen. In the early 70's he rode Texas ranges as a cowpuncher, and later became special traveling correspondent of The St. Joseph, Missouri, Herald.

Eventually, mining attracted him from the newspaper business. He first prospected in the placer mines in Deadwood and other historic camps in the Black Hills of South Dakota in the Winter of 1876-77. From 1882 to 1884 he learned the practical end of mining and milling for free gold ores while in the employ of the Homestake Mining Company, and then he made a careful study of the theory of mineralogy. Later he became a special investigator for the Alabama State Government and for private interests.

He came to British Columbia to study the mineral possibilities of this Province for New York interests in 1897. Until 1913, when he started out on his own as an independent mining engineer, he was engaged in the service of various companies in different parts of the Province.

Premier Sir Richard McBride retained him to make examinations for the Government as field engineer along the line of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway. Thus began a lengthy association with the Government. He did extensive research work in the Skeena, Queen Charlotte and Atlin districts in 1914 and in 1915 traveled 1,600 miles on horseback as Government engineer, making examinations in many districts.

After this work the Government retained him to make a reconnaisance of the iron ore and other mineral deposits of Vancouver Island and adjacent islands, and in 1917 he was appointed resident engineer for District No. 6, the Coast District, with headquarters in Nanaimo.

Ottawa Committee Hears B.C. Indian State Case

OTTAWA, March 31.—A joint committee of the two Houses of Parliament this morning harked back to the days when white men first came to British Columbia. The committee has before it a petition for the allied Indian tribes of British Columbia, asserting an aboriginal title in British Columbia lands. There was a delegation of British Columbia Indians with Andrew Paull, himself an Indian, and secretary of the allied tribes to state their grievances.

Mr. Paull in his story, quoted not only the "white man's record" of diary and official document as to early agreements over land title, but Indian tradition which had come down through generations. In agreements with representatives of the King, Mr. Paull said, the Indians always had in mind—although they knew nothing of fractions or decimals—that they were to retain a certain share of interest in the land.

Powell River Company Wins Timber Cruiser Suit

VANCOUVER, March 31.—By unanimous decision, five court of appeal judges dismissed the appeal of four Vancouver timber cruisers from an order of Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald, who set aside a judgment for $116,854 which they had obtained against Powell River Company, Limited, in default of defence. Appellants were Allan Stewart, Alexander Archibald McPhail, Peter Francis Sheehan and Alexander McKay.

Although Mr. Justice Galliher disagreed, the court awarded the respondent company costs against the unsuccessful appellants.

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Society and Women's Affairs

Informal Tea Party

Mrs. E. Crow Baker, "Sissinghurst," Gorge Road, entertained informally at the tea hour on Wednesday afternoon after the Indian pageant on the Gorge waters. She was assisted by her nieces, the Misses Jean and Irene Ross. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Strangman, Colonel and Miss Cantlie, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Winslow, Mr. Justice and Mrs. F. B. Gregory, Mrs. Harry Bullen, Mrs. Blaiklock, Mrs. Rome, Mrs. Kenneth Harper, of Vancouver; Mr. Hobart Molson, Mr. and Mrs. Crump, the Misses Jane and Freda Warter, Mr. and Mrs. Storer Brown, the Misses Shaw, of Quebec; Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Goward, and others.

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Entertains at Party

Miss Jessie Gray entertained a number of her fellow students of the Victoria Public Library, and members of the staff at her home in the Alkazar Mansions on Wednesday evening. Games and competitions were enjoyed by the guests, who included Miss Clay, Miss Beth Collis, Miss Elsie Taylor, Miss Marjorie Holmes, Miss Sheila Gillespie, Miss Bertha Davis, Miss Eileen D'Arcy and Miss Dorothea Lea. The hostess was assisted by her mother, Mrs. M. L. Gray, and sister, Miss Clarice Gray.

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Miscellaneous Shower

An enjoyable evening was spent on Wednesday at the home of Miss Evelyn Barber, May Street, when she entertained in honor of Miss Grace Palmer, whose marriage will take place shortly. The rooms were decorated with daffodils and greenery. Among the guests were Mrs. S. de T. Cunningham, Mrs. F. White, Mrs. Barber, and the Misses May and Minnie King, Ella Harrison, Phyllis Barber, Alma Cotsford, Ruby Ford and Jean Booth.

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Farewell Luncheon

Mrs. J. M. Ross, Work Point Barracks, entertained at a farewell lunch party yesterday for Mrs. Beverley Brown and Mrs. Lawrence, who are leaving shortly with their husbands, Colonel Beverley Brown and Major Lawrence, for Toronto. Mrs. Brown will spend a week in Vancouver with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Rochester, before going East.

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Dinner and Dance

Commander and Mrs. P. W. Nelles, Esquimalt Road, entertained at a small dinner party on Wednesday evening in honor of the personal staff of Their Excellencies Lord and Lady Willingdon. This was followed by a small dance given by the officers of the Royal Canadian Navy, stationed at Esquimalt, in the R.C.N. Barracks.

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Leaves for Chicago

Mr. Barney Olsen, manager of the Empress Taxi Co., Ltd., left yesterday for Chicago, where he will attend a meeting of the executive of the Great Island Association. While in the East he will visit Montreal, after which he will return to the city. He expects to be away for about two weeks.

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Here From Honolulu

Miss Marguerite Bryant arrived last evening on the R.M.S. Aorangi from Honolulu and will be the guest of Miss Aline Stewart Williams for some time. Miss Bryant was for some years at St. Margaret's School and has since been living at her home in Hawaii.

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From Vernon

Mrs. E. S. Bate, of Vernon, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Henderson, "Duvals," Rockland Avenue. Mrs. Henderson entertained with three tables of bridge for her on Tuesday evening.

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From Summerland

Mr. and Mrs. Lumsden, of Summerland, who have been staying at Glencoe Hotel in Vancouver, are arriving shortly to take up their permanent residence here.

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Supper Party Held

Mrs. Harry Bullen entertained at a supper party after the opera "H.M.S. Pinafore" last evening in honor of a number of members of the D'Oyly Carte Opera Company.

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From New South Wales

Mrs. J. S. Mackie, of Sydney, New South Wales, accompanied by her two daughters and Miss Amos, arrived last evening on the Aorangi and is at the James Bay Hotel.

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Returned From Spokane

Mrs. E. Maguire, who has been spending the Winter in Spokane, has returned to Victoria, and is staying for a few days at the Strathcona Hotel.

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Left for California

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Coste and Miss Gabrielle Coste, of Calgary, who have been spending some time at the Empress Hotel, have left for a two months' tour of California.

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From Courtenay

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Dundas, of Courtenay, were among the passengers on the Aorangi last evening, and are spending a few days at the James Bay Hotel.

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From Maple Bay

Mrs. C. E. Bromilow and Master J. C. Bromilow, of Maple Bay, are spending a few days in Victoria visiting relatives.

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Arrives From Honolulu

Miss A. T. Thewlis, of Peoria, Ill., arrived on the Aorangi from Honolulu and is registered at the James Bay Hotel.

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Returns From Calgary

Mrs. C. Mashiter Edwards, who has been spending several weeks in Calgary, has returned to her home on Linden Avenue.

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Moving to New Home

Lieutenant and Mrs. Maurice Wood are moving today from Crescent Road to their new home at 619 Lampson Street.

Their Majesties in Picturesque Costume

An Old Picture That Is Interesting. In 1897 King George and Queen Mary, Long Before They Became King and Queen, Attended a Ball at Devonshire House. This Picture Shows Them as They Were Dressed for That Occasion.

From Winnipeg

Mr. C. G. K. Nourse, of Winnipeg, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

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Here From Vernon

Mrs. Ricardo arrived yesterday from Vernon and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Pemberton, at "Mount Joy."

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At Oak Bay Hotel

Mrs. Carew-Gibson and Miss Joy Carew-Gibson are over from Vancouver, and are at the Oak Bay Hotel for a few weeks.

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From Vancouver

Mrs. C. Shaw, of Vancouver, is spending a few days here and is at the James Bay Hotel.

Deep Cove and Patricia Bay

The Deep Cove Social Club held its weekly card party Monday night at the hall, West Road. Progressive 500 was played at five tables. The ladies' first prize was presented to Mrs. Richard Jackson, who scored fourteen, and the men's first prize was presented to Mr. Chas. Copithorne, who scored thirteen, winning the cut from Albert Creamas and William Horth. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Alan Calvert.

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Next Monday will be the last card party to be held by the D.C.C.S., when a military 500 drive will take place. Special prizes are to be offered for first and second tables.

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On Friday next the fortnightly dance will be held in the Club Hall. Schofield's orchestra will supply the music, and refreshments will be served by Mrs. A. Calvert.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis Herber returned last week from California, where they have spent the Winter.

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Mrs. Norman La Gallis, of Monterey Avenue, Victoria, was the guest of Mrs. George Salmon for the week-end.

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The friends of Miss Kathleen Lowe are pleased to see her out again after her recent illness.

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Mr. and Mrs. Neil Pollock and their daughter, Miss "Babs," of Victoria, spent the last few days visiting their uncles at the Bay.

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Dr. and Mrs. J Cecil Hay and little son, Master James, of Port Angeles, Wash., spent Saturday visiting his uncle, Mr. Robert Bryce. The doctor was accompanied also by his mother, Mrs. James Hay, of Victoria.

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Mr. Tom O'Conner, of Fort Street, Victoria, spent Sunday visiting friends at the Bay.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Parsons, of Victoria, spent Sunday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Lowe, of the Bay.

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Miss May Copithorne entertained on Thursday evening at her home, West Road, a number of her friends. Progressive 500 was played the first part of the evening, when Mrs. Jackson and Mr. William Horth secured first prizes. Mrs. James Copithorne, jr., and Mr. Geo. Sayles were awarded consolation prizes. A radio programme was greatly enjoyed. The invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Beattie, Mr. and Mrs. J. Copithorne, sr., Mr. and Mrs. J. Copithorne, jr., and the Messrs. George Sayles, Gordon Holder, William Horth, Patterson, Chas. and Bert Copithorne, and Mr. W. Sibbald.

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Miss M. Hosey, of Victoria, spent Sunday with friends at the Bay.

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Miss Margaret Thornton spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thornton, sr., of the Cove.

Bible Class Meeting

The Corinthian Bible Class of St. John's Church held their regular meeting last Wednesday evening when final arrangements for their annual supper, to be held on April 7, were made. The class is also making arrangements for the annual hike on Good Friday, a definite announcement of which will be made at the annual supper.

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont

There is something very refreshing about the combination of navy blue with bright green, and this is made the most of in the street frock sketched above.

Navy blue kasha is used for the frock, which is really a wrap-across model divided by a stitched belt, blue with green stitching. The deep collar and the skirt opening are also piped in the brilliant green.

A small hat of bright green felt with navy and green ribbon banding finishes the effective costume.

James Island

Mr. Jerome Bell of the head office Canadian Explosives, at Montreal, is visiting on the Island.

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Mr. John Collins returned home from San Francisco, where he has been visiting his sister, Mrs. E. Meehan.

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Mr. Tate, of Montreal, who has spent several days on the Island, left on Saturday afternoon to join Mrs. Tate in Spokane.

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Mr. Mark Woolcock, of Victoria, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Doran.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clegg were in Victoria on Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Clegg's niece, Mrs. Richards, of Nelson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kellum, of Vancouver, Mr. Alan Ford, of Parksville, Mr. Gillette, of Nanoose, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thatcher.

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On Thursday evening Mrs. W. Milsted entertained at four tables of bridge. The guests were Miss M. Allen, Mrs. J. Biller, Mrs. A. J. Dakin, Mrs. N. Ganner, Mrs. C. W. Holland, Mrs. S. E. Bradley, Mrs. M. J. Kirk, Mrs. R. H. Lyons, Mrs. T. McWhinney, Mrs. A. J. Peirce, Miss Dora Pondsford, Mrs. G. M. Richards, Mrs. W. Rivers, Mrs. E. Rivers, Mrs. W. S. Thatcher and Mrs. T. Whalen. The prizes were won by Mrs. S. E. Bradley and Mrs. G. M. Richards.

South Pender and Saturna

Mr. Herbert Spalding returned to South Pender, after spending a week in Victoria.

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Mrs. Jack Dick, of Victoria, has been a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Payne, Saturna, for a couple of weeks.

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Mr. Herbert Spalding, in his launch, the Cassiar, accompanied by Mrs. Beatrice Irving, visited Galiano Island on Thursday.

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Mr. W. Y. Higgs returned from Victoria on Saturday.

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On Sunday afternoon Mrs. Georgeson entertained a few friends at tea. Among those present were Mrs. Aldridge, Mrs. W. Y. Higgs, Mr. G. F. Richardson and Mr. N. A. Richardson.

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Mrs. Spalding and Mrs. Beatrice Irving were guests of Mrs. Arthur Crane on Monday at the tea hour.

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Mrs. Spalding entertained at dinner on Tuesday evening in honor of Major Pender, prior to his departure for California next week. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Walker, Major and Mrs. Pender, Mr. G. F. Richardson and Mr. N. A. Richardson.

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Dr. and Mrs. Aldridge have kindly donated a handsome clock to the school at South Pender.

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Mr. Jack Dick was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Payne at Saturna for the week-end.

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Mr. Herbert Spalding is a guest of his sister, Mrs. Beatrice Irving, for a few days.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Ballou were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Spalding at dinner on Sunday evening.

Sidney

Guests registered at the Sidney Hotel during the past week include C. J. Woodworth, E. Tea, Vancouver and J. McCortney, of Nanaimo.

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Mr. Stewart, who a few years ago assisted Mr. Wheeler here, is visiting in Sidney recouperating from many months' illness in the hospital.

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Mr. Ashley Gilman, who was taken seriously ill last Thursday evening, and was removed to the Jubilee Hospital, where he was operated on for appendicitis on Friday, is reported to be progressing favorably.

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Ten Guides and thirteen Brownies of the local troops were taken to Victoria on Saturday, accompanied by Mrs. Spooner, Mrs. Goddard and Miss Iris Goddard, for the inspection of Girl Guides and Brownies at Beacon Hill Park by Lady Willingdon.

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The Archdeacon of Columbia will conduct the services in the Anglican Churches on Sunday.

Lake Hill Dance

A most successful dance was held in the Lake Hill Community Centre last evening under the auspices of the Lake Hill Women's Institute, the funds going towards the War Memorial Health Centre milk fund. After the expenses are paid the balance will be handed over to the capable superintendent, Mrs. Lucas, to carry on the good work. The refreshments were in the hands of Miss Douglas, Mrs. Akerman, Mrs. Peddle, Mrs. Mercer, Jr., and Mrs. Webster. Mrs. Service and Mrs. Macnicol received the guests. Mr. M'Callum acted as master of ceremonies, and Mr. Walter Peddle took charge of tickets. The committee wishes to extend its thanks to the many friends who donated cakes and sandwiches, also to the press for publicity.

Victoria Tennis Club Dance

Plans are being made by a committee of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club for a dance, to be held on Wednesday, April 27, at Alexandra House. The dance will take the form of a farewell party for Mr. John Proctor, who expects to leave for the East in the near future. Tickets may be obtained from members of the club or from the committee, Mrs. Hodgins, Mr. J. H. McLoughlin and Mr. Bert Flett.

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25c Minard's Liniment	20¢
25c C.C.C.C. Tablets	16¢
25c Graham's Little Liver Pills for	16¢
25c Hall's Curina Cream	19¢
30c Sulphur and Molasses	18¢
25c Sulphur and Cream Tartar Lozenges	16¢
75c Abbey's Fruit Salts	69¢
35c Syrup Figs	24¢
35c Baby Cough Syrup	24¢
60c Whooping Cough Syrup for	48¢
35c Mustardine	24¢
50c Graham's Kidney Pills for	34¢
25c tin Boracic Acid	16¢

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35c French Lemon Soap	23¢
25c Woodbury's Soap, at 3 for	69¢
10c Lifebuoy Soap, 3 for	23¢
10c Cocoa Bath, 3 for	23¢

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75c Dressing Combs	40¢
$3.50 Whalebone Hair Brushes for	$2.40
$1.75 Whalebone Hair Brushes for	$1.10
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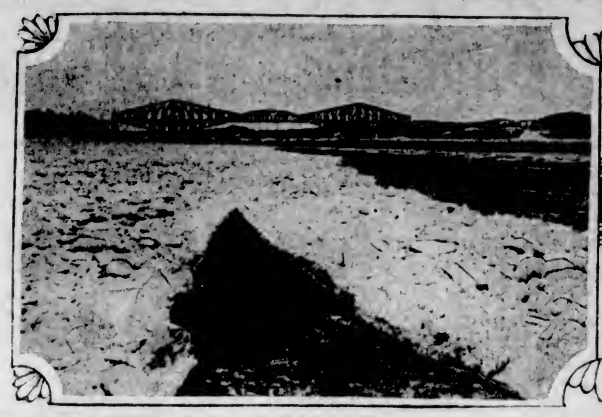
Lantern Lecture Tonight

Mr. Felix Raper will give a lantern lecture tonight at 8 o'clock, at the Stranger's Rest. His subject will be "The Parables of the Bible." Everybody welcome.

Canadian Government Icebreakers at Work in St. Lawrence



Recently the Canadian Government icebreakers plunged their powerful steel stems into the ice fields of the St. Lawrence. The Mikula, greatest icebreaker the world possesses, is down to Anticosti Island, down in the gulf, taking in supplies and bringing out mail. The Mikula is a war veteran, and was sent by Canada to Russia to keep the port of Archangel clear for Allied ships to go in and out. She is now back in civvies and will soon lead the van from Quebec to Montreal in the upper reaches of the river where the ice is thickest. The Dominion Government's photographers have pictured the Lady Grey, the staunch little ship that has plunged through the ice season after season, that has sailed the outer seas to carry relief to anxious mariners, that helped the survivors of many a wreck to safety. Now the Lady Grey goes into action below Quebec bridge. Picture right shows her staunch little ladyship in the heart of the ice field. Left shows the first effect of her drive into the ice field. The dark gash in the lower centre is the opening of the break in the ice her steel stem is making.

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Illustrated Lecture

Mr. Reginald Chave will give his illustrated address on "India" at Wilkinson Road United Church this evening at 8 o'clock. He will be assisted by lady singers dressed in Indian costumes. The lecture is being given under the auspices of the Boys' Tuxis Square.

Color Characterizes Fashions

Stripes, Spots and Novel Color Introductions Are Features of New Spring Wear—Hats of Straw and Fabric

Color is the great note of Spring clothes. It expresses itself in various ways according to taste, and is unusually strong in day clothes and millinery, says an article in The London Times.

Many sports clothes exhibit an exuberance of stripes, circular on jumpers that are worn with plain color skirts and perpendicular on skirts that are worn with plain jumpers trimmed with the striped material. In other day clothes colored pleats open to reveal another color, and there are silks with vivid spots and flower motifs. Indeed, experiment with color is one of the interests of clothes for the daytime. Evening dress, however, despite some two-color evening gowns in pastel shades, is relieved less by mixed colors than by embroideries, probably because when there is a low-cut bodice the mixing of colors with flesh tones might be crude. But in the daytime there appear to be few colors that are not possible, though there are some decided preferences. Stripes vary from groups of contrasting colors in some woollens to shaded stripes, overchecks, minute checks, and occasionally plaids and crossbars. In silks there are also bayadere stripes and a few carefully designed chiffon plaids. But lines of color rather than fanciful patterns are found chiefly in woollens.

Importance of Color

The mixing of color is illustrated in the new solid colors for strappings or simulated tucks against each other in sports clothes, or the short coat which, as part of the sports three-piece, secures an alliance of two colors for linings, trimmings or facings. The bright silk cowboy kerchief has reappeared, and lends an unconventionality to clothes that may look too much tailored; it is also made of the same silk or foulard as the pleated skirts that are sometimes worn with velveteen tailored coats. Bows of various fabrics are being tried as alternatives to shoulder flowers; big bows of tulle are shown on some of the new evening gowns, where they are at the back of the neck in a contrasting color if the gown is white or black; and bows tied on one side to the shoulder are put on simple day clothes.

Stripes and Spots

Some of the small spotted and patterned silks are now made in neat designs with colored pipings, and floating panels; long semi-bishop sleeves gathered in at the wrist often finish these simple frocks. Exaggerated sleeves in simple clothes are not much liked, though embroidered sleeves are to be seen on some of the more elaborate day clothes. When an afternoon frock is of a bordered material the patterned part of the border may give fullness to the sleeve. Some of the new bordered silks are of great beauty and have colored open work and embroidery, while into the borders of others lace is introduced.

Some New Hats

There are a good many new hats on view, including the usual red hats for the early Spring, some of which are unusual in their decoration. A tight-fitting high-crowned hat that is rolled off the face and has a movement towards one side has been made of bright red grosgrain, and red violets massed on the crown drop over on one side. Oother hats are made of the new straws and mixtures of straw and fabric. While most of the crowns are high and moulded tightly to the head, they are not as high as they were. The ear-flap felt with a point at the back has not lasted long; it has been succeeded by the small peaked high hat, which looks almost like a bonnet except that it is moulded to the head at the back. The peak sometimes carries a tortoiseshell pin or some small decoration. Contrasted with the peaked hat is the soft-stitched felt hat moulded closely round the head and rolled slightly back. There are several small rounded hats with narrow brims, but no design is meant to look obvious and easy.

The desire for two or more colors is illustrated in hats, for there are new felts which have been cut from several different hoods. Blues are in demand for the Spring, and one blue felt has a navy blue front and two broad bands of different blues are brought right over the crown, while the back is of a very dark navy blue. Felt hats with a crown of one color and a brim of another finished with grosgrain ribbon and neat buckle go well with tailor-mades. There are straw hats also of the same kind. Small clusters of flowers to match the buttonhole continue to appear on the down-turned sides of many straw hats. Straw has never been a very becoming material for hats, and except for some neat ballybuntials with crowns tucked to resemble cords, straws will generally be mixed with other materials, such as georgette, chiffon, taffeta and felt. Felt underbrims are already to be seen on wide-trimmed straw hats. A new straw called "kalasat" is being used with taffeta applique crowns for ornate hats. Diadem turbans, which are always useful for those who like width are still made of soft materials. Though red and blue are in great demand, beige is still a recognized color for hats.

Fine Record Is Attained Again By New York Life

Mr. Alex. Peden, local representative of the New York Life Insurance Company, yesterday received a copy of the eighty-second annual statement of the company. During the past year, the report shows, the New York Life's new insurance amounted to over $900,000,000. Its policyholders were, on December 31, insured for over $5,750,000,000 and the total number of policies owned by them was 2,220,784.

Mr. Myron N. Boyd is the New York Life Insurance Company's agency director for British Columbia, with head office at Vancouver. Mr. S. S. Brasier is Mr. Peden's assistant in Victoria.

Women's Clubs And Societies

Victoria Women's Institute

Under the auspices of the Victoria Women's Institute a silver tea will be held this afternoon from 2:30 to 5 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. V. Meston, 1037 Summit Avenue. The general public, as well as Institute members, will be welcome. There will be a stall of home cooking and a musical programme will be given.

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Strawberry Vale Institute

The monthly meeting of the Strawberry Vale Women's Institute will be held on Tuesday at 2 o'clock in the Institute rooms, Wellington Road. Miss Hodge, of the Junior Red Cross, will address the meeting on the subject of "Home Nursing and Child Welfare." A good attendance is requested.

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Rummage Sale

The Jubilee Hospital Aluminae rummage sale will be held tomorrow at 1718 Douglas Street, one block north of Hudson's Bay Co. Articles for sale should be left at the store today, or phone 5697.

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King's Daughters' Meeting

District meeting of the King's Daughters will be held today at 2:30 p.m., followed by a meeting of the Ministering Circle in the King's Daughters' restroom.

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Rummage Sale

The Women's Committee of St. Matthias Church will hold a rummage sale at the Ritz Hotel on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

MISS VAN KIRK GIVES ILLUSTRATED ADDRESS

Scenes of Southern Italy and Italian Lakes Are Shown at Travel-Talk

Miss van Kirk gave an illustrated talk yesterday afternoon at Victoria College on Naples, Pompeii, Venice and the Italian Lakes, going to Italy by the southern route. Miss van Kirk enlarged upon the beautiful Bay of Naples and the surrounding country, taking her audience through the picturesque city with its quaint street scenes. Among the views of Naples was one of the tomb of Caruso, where the face of the great musician may still be seen. The next city visited was Pompeii, where, amid historic scenes of the City of the Dead, Miss van Kirk made her picture more vivid by reading a synopsis of one of her own articles, "Among the Hill Towns." Special stress was laid on Assisi with the tombs of St. Francis and St. Clare. There were lovely views of Venice by moonlight and at sunset, the art galleries and principal churches of Milan and the Italian Lakes. The pictures were all beautifully colored.

Suggests Pensions For Aged Workers

LADY CYNTHIA MOSLEY

Wife of Oswald Mosley, Laborite member of Parliament, at a Laborite meeting in England, suggested the pensioning of workers more than sixty-five years of age to make room for England's young able-bodied unemployed. She thought the money saved from the dole system would pay for the pensions.

Ward Two Liberals

Ward Two Liberals will hold a regular monthly meeting on Monday, April 4, at 8 p.m., in the Association's headquarters at Government and Broughton Streets. Delegates to the recent Liberal convention will submit their report, and the question of organization will be discussed. All interested Liberals are invited to attend.

"Bill is in a queer fix—paradoxical, I call it."

"What do you mean?"

"He's in a hole because he can't find an opening."—Hamilton Herald.

D'OYLY CARTE HERE IN FAREWELL OPERA

Company Given Enthusiastic Reception in "H.M.S. Pinafore" at Royal Victoria Theatre

The appetite for Gilbert and Sullivan opera is of the order that "grows by what it feeds on." In other words, the more one has of it the more one wants it.

This was shown in the reception accorded the D'Oyly Carte Opera Company on their return to the Royal Victoria Theatre last night in a revival of the good old ante-Savoy days favorite, "H.M.S. Pinafore."

The play will be repeated tonight and twice tomorrow.

"GET-TOGETHER" IS ENJOYABLE AFFAIR

Several Hundred Cathedral Parish Workers Meet Informally to Discuss Work

Several hundred gathered in the Memorial Hall gymnasium last night for the Cathedral parish "at home." The Dean, the Very Rev. C. S. Quainton, presided.

Condensed reports from a dozen parish organizations were read by Mr. E. W. Clayton, showing the purpose and accomplishments of each. The Dean explained the objects of the Senior Communicants' Guild, and Mr. A. R. Merrix spoke of the Sunday School and week-day classes.

The remainder of the evening was occupied with general conversation and in carrying out the main object of the gathering, which was to enable members of different organizations and of none to become better acquainted with one another.

Before the meeting adjourned, a number of choruses were sung, accompanied by Mr. Harold Davis, pianist, and light refreshments were served by Mr. J. W. Robinson. The entire evening's programme was arranged by Major F. V. Longstaff for the Cathedral Church Committee, in co-operation with the secretaries of the various parish organizations.

Following is a partial list of the societies and their official representatives:

Women's Auxiliary to Missions—Evening, Miss Louise Moule; afternoon, Mrs. Finlinson (treasurer); Little Help, Mrs. J. A. Costerton; Junior, Mrs. J. W. Mildon; Business Girls, Miss C. Balson; St. Margaret's, Miss Barton.

Guilds—Women's, Mrs. A. J. Dallain; men's, Mr. E. W. Clayton; A.Y.P.A., Miss Patrick; G.F.S., Miss K. C. Robinson; Communicants, Mrs. A. Thompson; Young Communicants, Mr. Edmund Corby; Cubs, Mr. W. J. Munroe.

The Chancel Guild, Anglican Young People's Association, Sunday School choir and other bodies were also represented.

Jubilee Hospital W.A. Passes February Bills

The monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Jubilee Hospital was held in the nurses' home yesterday, Mrs. Rhodes, the president, in the chair. Mrs. Hermann Robertson reported the sum of $26 in membership fees as having been paid her during the month, the names being as follows: Mrs. Pickle, $2; Miss L. Angus, $2; Mrs. Howard Miller, $2; Mrs. Boak, $4, Mrs. Pemberton, $4; Mrs. Belson, $4; Mrs. Blankenbach, $2; Mrs. Barrett, $2; Mrs. W. J. Spencer, $4. Mrs. Collison, the treasurer, reported a balance of $131.56. Bills for the maternity ward were passed, $151.69 for Spencer's, and $14.49 for the Hudson's Bay Company.

A standing vote of sympathy to Miss Lee, on the death of her mother, was passed.

Ward Gardeners Elect Officers at Meeting

Councillor William Graham was elected president of the Ward Two Saanich Cottage Gardeners' Association yesterday, and Mr. F. Crowe, vice-president. Mr. W. L. Llewellen will hold the post of secretary-treasurer. Mrs. F. Crowe was named convener of the ladies' committee, and Mr. T. Deveson of the men's committee.

It was decided to hold the annual Ward Two agricultural exhibit in St. Mark's Hall on August 25, the following ladies being appointed a committee to assure the success of the show: Mesdames Pierce, Johson, Stevens, Ferriman and Little. Messrs. G. Little (Swan Street), Warren, Currie, Hallwright, Pierce and G. Little (Inverness Street) were named as members of the men's committee.

The storekeeper was attempting to give his new grocery boy some fatherly advice.

"Why," he said, "I even started out in life as a barefoot boy."

"I wasn't born with shoes on myself," was the lad's prompt reply.

Police Dance Tonight

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CHAPTER VII

Nevilles Gets Into "High"

The late Parnlay had laid out his grounds with an eye to beauty and restfulness. A huge fountain splashed and played in the centre of a wide spread of velvet greensward. Narrow gravel walks hedged with flowers of varied hue ran hither and thither in a maze of intricate windings, among dwarfed shrubs trimmed to perfect symmetry. Here and there a blossoming tree lent vivid contrast to the darker tones of fern and shrub.

Nevilles walked slowly on drinking in the perfect beauty of the scene. After all, he must have been a wonderful man, he though, this man who had made his millions out of whisky. And this hot-headed nephew whom he had loved and had never known it.

"David Webster," he said, half-aloud, "you were a fool; you deserve what you're getting now."

Something jarred on the restfulness of the morning. Turning, he strode swiftly back the way he had come. Gardeners touched their hats to him deferentially, but he passed on unheeding.

Finally he reached the garage. The colored chauffeur was fussing about a low, rakish French car, humming as he worked. Neville's eyes narrowed as they fell on the negro.

"How many miles can that bump-shouldered old girl do, Mose?" he asked.

The chauffeur scratched his woolly pate.

"Reckon seventy-five, if her ain't tantalized; ninety, if so yo'-all tickles her rib," he grinned.

"And the speed laws? They're pretty strict hereabouts, I understand?"

"Stricter en a deacon wif a only daughter, sah."

Nevilles nodded.

"Guess I've got enough money on me to see me through," he said. "Get out of the way."

Three minutes later he was speeding along a road that seemed to stretch like an amber arrow into a blue infinity of hills and sky. On the one side lay fertile farmlands, with their prosperous-looking houses and barns, flowering orchards and sweeping cow-dotted meadows. On the other lay the river, blue-grey as the deep waters of a lake, its surface wrinkled by the tug of a current that showed flashing fangs in a rapid farther on.

Suddenly, ahead, as the big car flashed forward, a curve loomed up like a curling wisp of smoke. Nevilles took it on two wheels, darting down a long hill to a bridge that hummed a protest as he flashed across it. Before him lay a town. He caught a blurred view of white gates, green lawns, and gesticulating humans as he roared through it. A traffic officer leaped on his motorcycle and gave pursuit. Nevilles laughed.

"'If you'-all tickle her rib,'" says he.

His foot pressed the accelerator. The engine throbbed and the car leaped forward like a steed that feels the spurs. He glanced back over his shoulder. The constable had given up the pursuit and was writing something in his notebook. Why did all policement seem to be eternally writing things in notebooks?

Five miles farther on, the riot in his blood appeased for the time being, he slowed down, and gave himself up to the restful picturesqueness of his surroundings.

Here the river had widened to the drab, unruffled surface of the lake. Away across on its farther shore, a sweep of marshlands lay a drab blotch against the ether blue of the Summer sky. He knew that marshy waste must be Drowned Acres. This reminded him that he desired to see Mr. James Turnbull. He had heard that Turnbull's Summer home was somewhere in this vicinity. That being so wouldn't he be likely to be there now? He wanted to tell that gentleman that all negotiations pertaining to the lease of Drowned Acres were off.

A farm hand carrying a pitchfork was coming toward him down the road. When opposite him Nevilles stopped his car.

"Can you tell me where to find Mr. Turnbull's place?" he asked.

The man unchamped his quid, took the cigar Nevilles proffered, sniffed it, licked it, lit it, and after a long puff or two, answered:

"Up the road a quarter of a mile."

Nevilles told himself as he guided the car between the big stone pillars that he would have known it was Turnbull's farm without the information given by the farmer. Only a very wealthy man could own a place so splendidly laid out, so superbly housed and treed. There were great barns and silos. Turnbull's prize-winning Holstein cattle were known across the continent. Nevilles glimpsed a herd of the royal stock cropping on the side of the hill, their black and white markings gleaming up against the dull gold willows of the creek.

As he guided the car about a twist in the lane he came suddenly upon a group of people besporting themselves on a velvety tennis court; several men in white flannels and sports shirts, and ladies in filmsy Summer attire.

He was a little surprised to see Wesley Trollivor among them. He was conversing earnestly with a tall, superbly-formed girl of a gypsy cast of beauty. Neville's eyes searching for Turnbull were suddenly arrested by a symphony in white and gold.

"By George," he murmured ecstatically, "it's the Angel."

He backed his car behind a gigantic lilac tree. Intent on the game, neither she nor any of the others had seen him, thanks to the noiseless action of the engines. Nevilles wasn't caring to see Trollivor just then. He did long to meet the Angel again though. He wondered just how he could get in touch with Turnbull.

The problem was solved by the appearance of that gentleman himself. He came through the gate and out into the lane. Nevilles had time to note the man's well-knit figure and the calm self-assurance in his strong, swarthy face. He was smiling. Apparently his thoughts were pleasant ones.

The smile vanished as he caught sight of his visitor. Something of quick, intent watchfulness took its place.

Nevilles leaped from the car.

"I guess you are Mr. Turnbull?" he said, advancing and holding out his hand. "My name is David Webster."

Turnbull shook hands. "Glad to meet you, Mr. Webster," he murmured.

"Perhaps," said Nevilles, "you won't be so glad when I tell you why I'm here."

"Indeed?"

There was something of a sneer on the wide mouth.

Neville's eyes lost their laughter. He was sorry that this man seemed to rub him the wrong way of the grain. He had trouble a-plenty without having to fight Turnbull.

"I wanted to speak to you about the Drowned Acres lease," he said, watching the other closely for the effect of his words.

Turnbull stared at him insolently.

"What about it?" he asked shortly.

"Just this," replied Nevilles. "I don't intend to lease the duck grounds."

Turnbull's jaw set ominously.

"I'm afraid, Mr. Webster, you can't very well help it," he said. "Your agents have already given consent to the lease. They assure me that your signature to the papers is but a matter of form."

Nevilles grinned good-naturedly.

"Oh, they told you that, did they? Well, Mr. Turnbull, I like shooting myself, so I guess I'll keep Drowned Acres for my own pleasure. Sorry though," he added, "that I'm obliged to disappoint you and your friends who are in the syndicate."

"But," cried Mr. Turnbull angrily, I understood from Mr. Haight and Mr. Trollivor that you would sanction the lease without demur. Am I to imply that they were deliberately spoofing me?"

Nevilles shrugged.

"Oh, I wouldn't say that," he returned. "I daresay their intentions were honest enough. The trouble was they didn't think it worth while to consult me in the matter, which," he added, "goes to show they didn't know me very well."

"And," asked Turnbull meaningly, "are you sure you know them?"

There was something sinisterly suggestive in the question.

If Nevilles caught it his face gave no sign.

"Naturally," he answered, "I don't know a great deal about either of my agents—yet. I am told, however, that they are two of the brainiest, most far-seeing men in the community, and I know that my uncle trusted their judgment implicitly."

"But you do not?"

"To a certain extent only," Nevilles replied. "I never believe in trusting wholly to anybody else's judgment. I have a colossal respect for my own, you see."

He smiled again as he noticed Turnbull wince.

"Look here, Webster," said the latter, throwing aside his veneer of forced politeness, "you and I had better understand each other. You're a stranger here; what people are going to say and think about you is bound to matter something to you. Now," as Nevilles looked anxious, "let me tell you something. The men who comprise this syndicate that I have formed, and which was promised a lease of Drowned Acres duck grounds, are men whose goodwill you can't very well afford to forfeit They can be of inestimable value to you or they can put you down and out. If you sanction the giving of this lease, well and good, if you do not——"

He threw out his hands.

"Better be sensible, Webster, and let us have the grounds."

Neville's face was a study. It was apparent to Turnbull that what he had just told him bothered the Parnley heir.

"Mr. Turnbull," he said at length, "will you pardon my asking a rather personal question? Are your relations to Mr. Haight and Mr. Trollivor strictly of a business nature?"

Turnbull smiled a satisfied smile.

"Not altogether," he answered. "I don't mind telling you that Mr. Trollivor is engaged to my foster-sister, Miss Kimberlie; also that Mr. Haight's ward, Miss Huntingdon, is soon to become my wife."

Nevilles nodded.

"That accounts for it," he said, as though to himself.

"For what?" Turnbull asked.

"For Trollivor and Haight even considering the leasing of the duck grounds which my Uncle Parnley guarded so jealously. I have heard my uncle say time and time again that his preserves must never be shot over save by himself and to whomsoever the property was left. It was an obsession with him. Trollivor knew it, so did Haight. In even contemplating the leasing of Drowned Acres they have been false to a sacred trust. However," he added, as though granting a concession, "considering my agents' relationship to yourself, Mr. Turnbull, I am willing to overlook it."

"Then," he asked eagerly, "you consent to the lease?"

"I certainly do not!" answered Nevilles dryly. "Good-day, Mr. Turnbull."

He climbed into his car, swung about on the gravelled drive and shot away.

Turnbull stood gazing after him darkly. He might have felt even a deeper aversion for the man who had thwarted him could he have seen him as the maple-hedged highway swallowed him from view.

Neville's face was that of a mischievous boy who had entered a dog-guarded orchard and gotten away with a hatful of apples.

"Oh, lordie!" he laughed. "Won't Haight and Trollivor gnash their teeth when Turnbull tells them? I think I'll have to watch that gentleman, Turnbull," he told himself seriously.

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In answer Nevilles grinned and sped away at seventy miles an hour.

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Mountain Sheep Transferred

ASHCROFT — Liberated about a mile south of Spences Bridge on the C.N.R. side of the Thompson River, the fifty or more mountain sheep from Banff went into the mountains on Wednesday afternoon, leaving a record in motion pictures that is perhaps unique in the history of British Columbia.

Kamloops Tax Rate

KAMLOOPS—The City Council has declared the mill rate at 41, instead of 43, which has held good for several years. It was in the air that the reduction would be three mills, but the school estimates turned out to be a mill greater than anticipated. So the Council had to be content with a two-mill decrease.

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In addition to men who are at present wearing the King's uniform, an invitation has been extended to the various ex-service organizations asking that their members attend.

Brigadier-General Ross, G.O.C., M.D. XI, will take the salute at a point to be announced later.

Inter-Empire Trade May Be Furthered by Women

OTTAWA, March 31.—Home economics and inter-Empire trade occupied the attention of the executive of the National Council of Women in session here yesterday. Mrs. S. A. Wilson, of Ottawa, the National president, announced at a luncheon that the text of the executive meeting was home economics, and announcement was made by Mrs. W. C. Gullock, regent of the municipal chapter, I.O.D.E., that the I.O.D.E. will hold a British Empire shopping week in May.

"Much rests with you, the women of Canada, to build up inter-Empire trade," Hon. James Malcolm, Minister of Trade and Commerce, told the executive members at the luncheon meeting.

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Menthol Plasters ..... 23¢
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Chamo Suede Fabric Gloves
With embroidered turn-back cuffs. Shown in cocoa, mode, grey and beaver; sizes 6 to 7½. Special at, per pair **79c**

Suede Finished Fabric Gloves
Full-on style, with black stitched fingers. Choose from natural, fawn, mode, pastel and white; sizes 6 to 7½. Special at, per pair..... **89c**

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—Main Floor, H.B.C.

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English Felt Hats in many smart styles and all head sizes. Shown in black, rose, orchid, palmetto, green, sand, fawn and grey; also Frosted Felt Hats in pastel shades. Exceptional value at **$3.95**

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100% Pure Wool Lumberjacks and Sweaters, collar, cuffs and hipband in solid color or novelty weave and contrasting color. Choose from sand, rust, dawn, corn, Nile, powder, natural and saxe. Sizes 10 to 14 years. Prices ..... **$3.50** and **$3.95**

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Easter Chocolate Novelties and Eggs

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Rowntree's Card Eggs, with eggs. Each ..... 45¢
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Pascall's Fancy Filled Baskets, each..... 20¢, 30¢ and 40¢
Ganong's Chocolate Rabbits and Roosters and Hen on Nest. At, each ..... 25¢
Ganong's Chocolate Rabbits and Roosters. Each ..... 10¢
Ganong's Candy Marshmallow Eggs, each ..... 5¢
6 for ..... 25¢
Large and Small Candy Eggs, per lb. ..... 40¢
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NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

Canadiens Defeat Maroons By Goal in Overtime Game

Single Tally After Twelve Extra Minutes Decides Winners of Canadian N.H.L. Section—Bruins Eliminate Black Hawks in American Division

MONTREAL, March 31.—Canadiens will play Ottawa in the finals for the Canadian sectional championship in the N.H.L. They were qualified by defeating the Montreal Maroons here tonight, 1 to 0. It took 12:05 overtime play before the decision was reached. Howie Morenz, Canadien centre, drove home the goal that gave Canadiens the round, 2 to 1. It was on a lone effort from a faceoff to the side of the Maroon net that Morenz saw his chance and shed it. He secured the puck, slipped it past Noble and then snapped at the Montreal goal. The puck flew to the far corner and sent the majority of 13,000 fans into delirious scenes. It was a fast and gruelling struggle. From the first whistle the teams drove at one another with speed that was dazzling.

It was a game that either team might have taken on their merits, though Canadiens had an edge in the aggressive play, especially in the second session when they made their big offensive and had the Maroons staggering but not beaten.

Maroons did not let their title go without a gallant fight; they played brilliant hockey, led by Nelson Stewart and Noble. They were good enough to have won but the fates were with the speedier club and the one that actually held what edge there was in a brilliant breath-taking clean hockey battle.

Lineup

Montreal	Position	Canadiens
Benedict	goal	Hainesworth
Munro	defence	Gardiner
Noble	defence	Mantha
Stewart	centre	Morenz
Siebert	wing	Gagne
Broadbent	wing	Joliat
Phillips	sub.	Cooper
Carson	sub.	Lepine
Rothschild	sub.	Hart
Oatman	sub.	Larochelle
Dutton	sub.	Leduc
Donnelly	sub.	Palangio

Summary

Overtime—1, Canadiens, Morenz, 12:05.

Penalties

Munro, Lepine.

Hawks Out of It

BOSTON, March 31.—The Boston Bruins tonight eliminated the Chicago Black Hawks from the United States division play-offs of the National Hockey League by playing a four to four tie in their second and final play-off encounter.

Coupled with a 6 to 1 decision over the Hawks in the first game in New York last Tuesday, tonight's score gave the Bruins a final goal margin of ten to five and the right to meet the New York Rangers in another two-game series to decide the United States division contenders for the Stanley Cup, emblematic of the world's professional hockey championship.

The Hawks lived up to their reputation as an "in and out" team. After a fast and scoreless first period, the Chicago defence cracked halfway through the second session to permit Coutu and Galbraith to slap home three Boston goals within eight minutes.

The Chicago team then tightened and Wilson and Irvin counted in rapid succession. Galbraith, who scored three of his team's total, slipped another past Lehman after the third period was ten minutes old, but for the rest of the game the Hawks had things mostly their own way, with Hay and Irvin tallying to tie the score. Chicago attempted to meet the Bruins' rugged style of play in kind resulted in penalties that twice left the Hawks two men short.

Lineup

Boston	Position	Chicago
Winkler	goal	Lehman
Hitchman	defence	Traub
Coutu	defence	Trapp
Frederickson	centre	Fraser
Oliver	wing	Irvin
Galbraith	wing	Hay
Stuart	sub.	McKay
Meeking	sub.	McVeigh
Herberts	sub.	Dutkowski
Boucher	sub.	Dye
Cleghorn	sub.	Rodden
Shore	sub.	

Summary

First period—No score.

Second period—1, Boston, Coutu, 7:36; 2, Boston, Galbraith, 2:09; 3, Boston, Galbraith, 5:29; 4, Chicago, Wilson, 1:14; 5, Chicago, Irvin, 2:56.

Third period—6, Boston, Galbraith, 10:13; 7, Chicago, Kay, :58; 8, Chicago, Irvin, 6:49.

Penalties

First period—Irvin, Heberts, Traub.

Second period—Galbraith, Trapp, Traub, Wilson.

Third period—Wilson, Dye, Shore.

"HERB" KIRKPATRICK

The sterling defence player of Toronto Varsity seniors, who has been elected captain of the Blue and White hockey team for the season of 1927-1928. Kirkpatrick has taken part in two Allan Cup play-offs with the Varsity team, and should prove a capable leader.

Club Sues Hockey Player for Misrepresentation

SASKATOON, March 31.—Declaring that $559.98 in wages to Gordon Dewar, defence player for the Sheiks during the 1926-27 hockey season just ended, and $101.85 covering his transportation from Ottawa to Saskatoon, were paid by the Saskatoon Hockey Club, Limited, because of false representations made by Dewar as to his qualifications as a professional hockey player, and that the club received no value from these payments, the club has launched counter-suit to Dewar's claim for $653.31, representing alleged unpaid salary.

The hockey club is also claiming general damages of $2,000 from Dewar because through "Dewar's misrepresentations and his presence, time and energy was required to secure another defence player, and during the time needed to find a suitable player, the club, because it lost league games, lost prestige with the public and suffered loss of gate receipts."

The case is believed to be without precedent in professional hockey history.

HAGEN AND FRENCH LEAD AT PINEHURST

Cruickshank, Present Titleholder, in Third Place in North and South Open Golf Tournament

PINEHURST, N.C., March 31.—Walter Hagen and Emmet French tonight roosted on top of the heap in the scramble for the 1927 United North and South open golf title. Bobby Cruickshank, defending champion, who was on top at noon, went into third place, and Peter O'Hara, who was tied at the end of eighteen holes with Cruickshank, was just behind him.

Hagen turned in an afternoon card of 36-36—72 which, combined with his morning rounds of 34-35—69, gave him a total of 141. French had the same total for the day. He turned in a 35-36—71 this morning and a 35-35—70 this afternoon.

Cruickshank turned in two 34's this morning for a 68, but this afternoon cracked slightly and the best he could do was 37-38—75 for a total of 143.

Racing at Tijuana

TIJUANA, Mex., March 31.—Results of racing here today follow:

First race, four and one-half furlongs—1, Alexander Pantages, $5.20, $3.20; 2, Blind Cast, $5.20; 3, Peralta. No show. Time, :55 4-5.

Second race, five and one-half furlongs—1, Star Blaze, $20.20, $10, $6.80; 2, Josie Hartman, $8.60, $6.40; 3, Hildred Seth, $3.40. Time, 1:10.

Third race, one mile and one-eighth—1, Nan's Fortune, $13.20, $6.20, $4; 2, Rockbomb, $5, $4.60; 3, Chick Bell, $7.80. Time, 1:59 3-5.

Fourth race, Futurity course—1, Kilauea, $24, $14, $6; 2, Shepherd, $14, $8; 3, Stroller, $3.60. Time, 1:14 4-5.

Fifth race, five and one-half furlongs—1, Picnic, $19.40, $8.60, $7.40; 2, Chambeiona, $14, $8; 3, The Franciscan, $4. Time, 1:09 4-5.

Sixth race, five furlongs—1, Deep Thoughts, $9.60, $3.60, $3; 2, Runolathe, $4.40, $3.20; 3, Don Eduardo, $2.80. Time, 1:01.

Seventh race, Clubhouse course—1, Hong King, $8.60, $4, $3.40; 2, Shasta Love, $4, $3.20; 3, Flicker, $4.40. Time, 1:37 2-5.

Eighth race, one mile and one-sixteenth—1, Wynnewood, $7, $3.0, $3; 2, Conclusive, $9.20, $4.20; 3, Transplant, $7.80. Time, 1:50.

Ninth race, one mile and one-sixteenth—1, Rockshell, $7.20, $3.80, $3.20; 2, Sylvanus, $8.20, $7; 3, Snow Cap, $3.60. Time, 1:49.

Overnight Entries

First race, four and one-half furlongs—Bon Fille, 115; Sunkin, 113; Peralta, 118; Alexander Pantages, 118; Steve Richards, 118; Shasta Rose, 110; Pelaika, 110; Vowed Vengeance, 118; A Treasure, 108; Nix, 113; Civility, 118; Stranger, 110.

Second race, Futurity course—Folly Thorpe, 107; Miriam Wood, 111; Laura M., 106; Emma Hoagland, 110; Scotland for Ever, 113; Arabrab, 92; Bill's Hope, 109; Jersey Red, 110; First Tullet, 111; Antilles, 103; Deer Trail, 109; Billy Watts, 102; Seclusion, 111; Bando Purple, 100; Skywards, 109; Contribution, 111; Phillipe Lugo, 105; Cloporte, 111; Sparrow, 102; Jack Ledi, 109.

Third race, Clubhouse course—Mr. Pat, 113; The Lamb, 109; Miss Fryer, 107; Four Cross, 115; Hackamore, 105; Zealot, 109; Rockbomb, 113; Brazos, 113; Bigwig, 105; Bessie Young, 103; Col. Snider, 113; Henry J., 105; Stanford, 95; Little Reb, 105; Brown Skin, 113; Cabin Maid, 106.

Fourth race, Futurity course—Hyack, 105; Fair Catch, 105; Lacometa, 100; Bonnie Lizzie, 110; Miss Omond, 115; Unfurled, 108; Bronco Girl, 108; Idle Thoughts, 115; Moonchild, 110; Virginia Morse, 115; Conciliation, 108; Lou Mack, 105; War Salaam, 105; Starless, 105.

Fifth race, one mile and seventy yards—Bardalid, 113; Jay Mac, 110; Lampo, 113; Wee Girl, 111; Fort Wayne, 102; Duty Boy, 113; Chula Vista, 113; Alceste, 110; Louis A., 116; Old Broadway, 113; Tulsa, 110; Star Cloudy, 112.

Sixth race, Futurity course — *Beauty Star, 98; †Musketeer, 118; †Miss Lester, 102; Tormentor, 97; **Bronx, 112; **Parnell, 104; *Almgren, 93; Tamale Dick, 108; Stardust, 109. *Row entry. †Irwin entry. **McNeill entry.

Seventh race, one mile and seventy yards—Runleigh, 107; Modo, 107; Lady Leonid, 104; Billy Todd, 104; Statler, 104; Be More Careful, 104; Tis Seth, 104; Suspicion, 105; Poor Puss, 105.

Eighth race, one mile and seventy yards—The Franciscan, 116; Tanson, 115; Llerre, 111; Joe Patinn, 113; Sixpence, 113; Irvington, 113; Evelyn Brown, 111; Jagger, 113; Rny Williams, 112; Huey, 113, Scarlet Rugler, 113; Tight, 113; Snow Cap, 113.

Ninth race, five furlongs—Patsy Jane, 102; *Shasta King, 103; New Beauty, 112; Ruffles, 96; *Don K., 102; Margaret St. L., 106; Movie Star, 107; Downtown, 111; Sweeping Ann, 103. *Irwin entry.

Weather cloudy; track heavy.

To Hold Spoon Shoot

The 55th Heavy Battery C.A. will hold a spoon shoot at the Armories tonight at 7:30 o'clock on the miniature range. Following the shoot a battery meeting will be held in the men's mess room, to make arrangements for the annual banquet.

VICTORIA "REP" TEAM WILL PLAY SEATTLE AT ROLLER HOCKEY

Roller hockey games scheduled for tonight are:

Juniors—Black Hawks vs. Saanich Rovers; Dreadnoughts vs. Junior Sheiks.

Seniors—Colonist vs. Victoria West.

Due to the fact that the Foul Bay Monarch team has refused to complete its league fixtures, it has been decided to form a representative Victoria team from among the other players in this division of the local league, to take the place of the Monarchs against the Seattle Pig and Whistle team in the return game here on April 9.

EDMONTON GRADS TO PLAY FOR THE WEST

Vancouver Canucks Go Down to Defeat in Canadian Basketball Championship Play-Off

EDMONTON, March 31.—Western Canada will be represented by the Edmonton Grads in the play-offs against the Eastern titleholders for the Canadian ladies' basketball championship. Tonight the Grads overcame the last obstacle in their march to the finals when they whipped the Vancouver Canucks by a score of 30 to 18 in a game that was featured by some remarkably fine shooting and a lot of close checking. The Grads took the first clash in their two-game series by a score of 34 to 20 and thus won on the round by the impressive margin of 64 to 38.

Scott-Moncrieff Won His Varsity Match

HOYLAKE, Eng., March 31.—In the interuniversity golf tournament here yesterday, when Cambridge won nine matches to Oxford's six, R. Scott-Moncrieff, of Victoria, B.C., and St. John's College, Cambridge, won his singles against Roy, of Oxford, 3 and 2. In the foursomes, however, Scott-Moncrieff and Maughan were defeated by the Oxford team of Butterworth and Zair, 3 and 2.

W. BEATTIE RAMSAY

Coach of hockey at Princeton University, former University of Toronto and Granite hockey star, and member of the Canadian Olympic team of 1924, which won the world's amateur championship at Chamonix, France, in 1924, has signed a contract to play next season for the Toronto Maple Leaf Hockey Club in the National Hockey League.

JACK WRIGHT

Prominent tennis player of the Dominion and member of Canada's Davis Cup team, will again pilot the McGill Tennis Club during its 1927 season.

COFFROTH PREPARING FOR "BLAZE OF GLORY"

Closing Days of Tijuana Race Meeting Will Be Brilliant and Attractive—Sunday Last Day

TIJUANA RACE TRACK, Mex., March 31.—"Make the closing days of the season as brilliant and attractive as any of the meeting."

President James Wood Coffroth, of the Tijuana Jockey Club, has just given this order, and now all of his officials are on their toes to make the "Blaze of Glory" everything that this euphonious name implies.

The "Blaze of Glory" will take in the last three days of the meeting, those being April 1, 2 and 3. Then the curtain will fall on the long season of 102 racing days. It will not be until next Thanksgiving Day that the Tijuana track will open its gates again for the racing of the kingly thoroughbred.

Reno in July

Horses, at the close of the Tijuana meeting, Sunday, April 3, will be shipped to various courses in the United States and Canada for the Summer campaigns. A big number and many of the better class runners will go direct to Reno and be given a rest before the opening of a 30-day race meeting in that city. The Reno meeting will be opened July 2 and will be operated in conjunction with the Nevada Transcontinental Highways Exposition.

For the "Blaze of Glory" at Tijuana, President Coffroth has directed that the purses be made attractive that the closing events of the season will draw the best horses in Winter racing. Thus the fans attending the closing days will see many of the thoroughbreds which engaged in the season's richest stakes, such as the $100,000 Coffroth Handicap, the $25,000 Tijuana Derby and the $10,000 Tijuana Cup. The standard of racing will be kept right up to the final event of the closing season.

The "Blaze of Glory" period, opening Friday, April 1, will have the Glory Handicap as a headliner. This will be a distance race. There will be three other distance races for the day, and six sprints, making a programme of ten events. The card for Saturday, April 2, will also have ten races, these varying in distances from four and one-half furlongs to one and one-quarter miles.

Au Revoir Handicap

For the closing day of next Sunday, April 3, two handicaps will be included in the ten-race card. The principal one will be the Au Revoir Handicap, a gallop of one and one-sixteenth miles. The secondary handicap of the final day will be the La Golondrina, a sprint of six furlongs.

In turning back to the "Blaze of Glory" last season, it is interesting to note that the Au Revoir Handicap was won by Jack Fairman. This horse raced at Tijuana this season and is a likely starter in the Au Revoir again.

Opening the present season, now in its last days, the first winner was Guinea Gold. Who will be the winner of the last race?

Football Line-Up

James Bay junior football line-up announced for tomorrow follows: Brown; Killick and Margison; Fraser, Gelling and Lorimer; J. Smith, Terry, Allan, A. Smith, Davey and A. Taylor.

U.C.T. BOWLERS WIN CITY TITLE

Gain Coveted Honors for First Time After a Fight of Five Years—Colonist Finish Second

After five years of consistent bowling the United Commercial Travelers' trundlers achieved their much-longed-for success this season when they captured the championship of the City League for the first time.

It is not to be suggested that the samplemen had by any means a walk-away, as the Colonist were on the heels of the champs and lost out by two games.

Last night on the Arcade Alleys the "Men of the Grip" took two games out of three from the Eagles to gain the much-coveted honor.

C. Baker, a member of the city champions, has been showing the boys how to roll this season and has walked off with the highest average and the high single score for the season.

In last night's match Malcolm, of the Travelers, was high man with 556 pins.

The complete scores follow:

Eagles				
W. Fairall	186	194	140	520
F. Moore	146	159	165	470
A. Potts	149	...	...	149
H. Moulton	...	149	148	297
R. Bell	116	178	164	458
A. Wilcox	155	146	178	489
Totals	752	826	795	2873

United Commercial Travelers				
I. Malcolm	176	188	192	556
C. Baker	188	153	195	536
F. Handley	145	144	144	433
B. Fuggle	151	159	166	476
A. Falk	174	173	157	504
Totals	834	817	854	2505

GOLF

By P. J. GAUDIN

Instructor at Skokie Country Club and Union League Club, Chicago

5—Learning by Practice

Perfectly good practice of golf swings is possible wherever there is room to swing a club. It is the perfection of the swing that counts, and the preliminary practice really is better under conditions where it is impossible to hit a ball. Nor is it necessary that in hitting the ball you do it on a golf course. Distance will be the least of your troubles. Accuracy is the main element. Consequently, there is no need of practicing with a driver. It is better to begin learning with a mashie. By the time your stroke with the mashie is under control you will have but little trouble with the longer iron and wooden clubs.

Chick Evans was a good golfer for at least two years before he was allowed to play a round. He was a caddy and practiced with someone's discarded mashie in the caddy yard and to and from his home. He continued the practice in the back yard and in Winter used the garret. That back yard or vacant lot practice, if you pitch mashie shots at varying distances at a bucket of sand, is as valuable as if you had the freedom of a million-dollar golf course.

Perhaps the best practice of all, until one knows the mechanics of his stroke are correct, is careful practice in a room in front of a mirror. One can alternately watch his reflection and the place where the ball would be and can at once check any error. This is much harder to do in the open, and impossible of accomplishment in playing the game. As a matter of fact, play is a decided detriment to the beginner. Inevitably he tries to do the impossible, and the work of the teacher is wrecked before it has a chance to be of any use. One of the wisest things a beginner can do is to make an early determination of just how far he wishes to go in acquiring skill. He will not be satisfied if he ever arrives at his first mark, but it is the part of wisdom to decide, for instance, that he will learn to play in the 90's and then start a course in practicing that will accomplish that result. He can be absolutely certain of success by means of intelligent practice.

Sign for Return Bout

CHICAGO, March 31.—Promoter Jimmy Mullen has signed Bud Taylor to engage Tony Canzoneri in a return match for the bantamweight title. The contest will be decided here on June 23.

BOXERS WILL TRAIN FOR CLUB OPENING

Tillicums Will Stage Monster Card to Celebrate Entering New Home Sometime This Month

The directors of the Tillicum Athletic Club have issued a request that all the boxers who intend boxing in the forthcoming smoker to be held in conjunction with the opening of the new quarters sometime this month will turn out on Monday night at 8 o'clock at the new home, 1421½ Douglas Street, for their first workout.

"Scotty" MacKay, well known in local pugilistic circles and at the time of his retirement from the squared ring in 1921, amateur welterweight champion of the Pacific Northwest, has offered his services to the club to get the boys in shape.

In addition to the boxing bouts an elaborate musical and vocal programme will be carried out to make a fitting event for the opening of the new quarters.

Definite arrangements have not as yet been completed but it is expected that some public official will perform the opening ceremony.

GRADS AND FORTS TO MEET AGAIN TONIGHT

Hitch Caused by Objection to Official Straightened Out—Allan Cup Hockey Game Is On

VANCOUVER, March 31.—Toronto Grads and Fort William will meet as scheduled in what is expected to be the final game of the Allan Cup series tomorrow night. Fort William today notified the officials of the C.A.H.A. that they would not take the ice if Pete McIntyre, of Trail, continued as judge of play. It was reported that the Forts would abandon the series if the official was not changed for Friday's game. As a result of the ultimatum, the executive of the C.A.H.A. and representatives of the two teams were in session late this afternoon and tonight in an effort to meet the situation and settle it in a way satisfactory to all parties. No names were mentioned by the Forts as a substitute for McIntyre, but they stated that any other official would satisfy them. Late tonight, while not officially stated, it was intimated that a solution had been arrived at and that the game would be played.

Toilers Beat Pats

REGINA, March 31.—Showing a superior brand of combination play and better shooting ability, Winnipeg Toilers last night defeated Regina Pats by a 45-24 score in the first of the Dominion championship elimination basketball series here.

BLUES WILL BATTLE ON THAMES TOMORROW

Keynote of This Year's Race Style Against Stamina—Both Crews Show Pace on Tidewater

LONDON, March 31. — "Style against stamina" is the keynote of the great annual boatrace between Oxford and Cambridge, to be rowed over the Thames, from Putney to Mortlake, four and a quarter miles on Saturday afternoon.

Cambridge have all the style, while Oxford has the beef and brawn.

The race has assumed an open aspect, although Cambridge were strong favorites a few weeks ago. The change is due to the marked improvement shown by Oxford since their stroke, Llewellyn, was forced out of the race through measles.

Both crews displayed an exceptionally fast pace at Putney today, despite the adverse conditions, gales of winds and rough water—which attended the outing.

According to the present weights, it appears that the Oxford crew will have an average poundage of 177, compared with the light blue's average of 174 pounds.

The race on Saturday will be the 79th event. Cambridge have won the last three but on the whole series have won thirty-seven to Oxford's forty. The other was a dead heat.

DRAW FOR SECOND DARCUS CUP ROUND AT UPLANDS LINKS

Following is the draw for the second round for the Darcus Cup, to be played by ladies of the Uplands Golf Club tomorrow:

Mrs. Unsworth and Mrs. Challoner.
Mrs. Pocock and Mrs. Boyd.
Mrs. Wilding and Mrs. Sanders.
Mrs. Nickson and Mrs. Tanner.
Miss Hiscocks and Mrs. Ellis.
Miss M. Fraser and Mrs. Macfarlane.
Mrs. Semple and Mrs. C. Eve.
Miss Cass and Miss Angus.
Miss K. Fraser and Miss Wolfenden.
Mrs. Geiger and Mrs. Hepburn.
Mrs. McDonald and Miss Grant.

CANADIAN RECORD BROKEN BY RITOLA

HAMILTON, Ont., March 31.—Covering two miles in 9 mins. 14 3-5 secs., Willie Ritola, New York A.C., set a new Canadian indoor record at the Armories last night at the Ninety-first Athletic Meet. Ritola defeated Art Reay, Toronto, and Harold Wehner, Hamilton, and his time was 20 seconds faster than that of T. Conneff, who made the old record in September, 1890.

In the one-mile walk Willie Plant, New York, won in 6:33 3-5. He trimmed Phil Granville, Hamilton, by forty yards. The old record of 6:46 fell by the wayside.

Percy Pickard, Hamilton, won the individual championship with a total of ten points.

Old Country Soccer

LONDON, March 31.—Brighton and Hove defeated Newport on the latter's grounds today by one goal to nil in an English League, third division, southern section soccer match.

Tommy Cello Matched To Box Jim McLarnin

LOS ANGELES, March 31.—Hayden Wadhams, matchmaker for the Olympic Auditorium, yesterday closed for a ten-round bout here, April 5, between Tommy Cello, San Francisco lightweight, and Jimmy McLarnin, Vancouver, B.C., boxer. Cello will substitute for Dec Snell, Tacoma, who was forced to withdraw because of illness.

In a four-round preliminary McLarnin's younger brother, Sammy, also a lightweight, will box George Webber, Los Angeles.

FORTY THOROUGHBREDS ON WAY TO DOMINION

Largest Shipment Ever Sent to Canada Now on the Ocean—Coast to Get Share

MONTREAL, March 31. — The largest shipment of blood stock ever sent to the Dominion is now on the Atlantic and will reach Canada in a few days.

There are forty race horses in the consignment, which is being forwarded by Major Liddington, of Thame, near Oxford, England, and they will be divided between Ottawa, Winnipeg and Vancouver. The horses are on the S.S. Minnewaska, due to arrive at New York on Saturday.

The horses now on the way include stallions by Lemberg and Sunstar. From the same source last year a shipment of twenty-five horses was sent to Canada.

Not in Regina

WINNIPEG, March 31.—Definite announcement that the Western Canada golf tournament will not be held in Regina this year as scheduled was made at a meeting of the Manitoba directors of the Western Canada Golf Association here.

Sunday School Basketball

Three B.C. Championships Will Be at Stake at High School Gymnasium Tomorrow Evening

All roads will be leading to the High School gymnasium tomorrow evening, when a very fine programme of basketball games will be staged by the Sunday School Athletic Association. With three B.C. championships at stake there should be some real high class basketball seen.

The First United seniors, present holders of the B.C. Sunday School title, will be called upon to do their utmost to hold the Rithet Trophy in the Capital. Bob Whyte, Norm Forbes, Art Webster, Joe Ross, Bud Hocking and Johnny Poulster will do their best to bring the Firsts through on the right end of the count, and prevent the Mainlanders from walking off with the coveted honors. The First United "Meteors," who will oppose the local seniors, have had a very successful season, losing only one game throughout their whole schedule. They dropped the final game to the Crusaders in the B.C. Open championship play-off series. They will bring over a snappy bunch of ball handlers and have high hopes of securing the cup for Vancouver.

A real classy game will be seen when Saint Mark's junior girls take the floor against the local Sunshine juniors. Saint Marks went through their whole schedule without losing a single game. They scored 404 points and only had sixty scored against them. This is truly a remarkable record and their play will be watched with interest by the local followers of the hoop game who will be present tomorrow night. "Sunshines are not far behind, however, as they can boast of a clean record with no defeats this season. While not having such a large victory list to their credit, they can handle the ball nicely and are exceptionally clever shots.

Alan Lemarquand will toot the whistle for the junior game, while Ralph Thomas will be in charge of the senior game. The first encounter will get under way at 7:30, the junior girls taking the floor first. The second game will bring together the Victoria High School, Vancouver Island champions, and Westminster Trapp Technical, High School champions of the Mainland. This will be for the Thompson Cup and the championship of British Columbia.

Sportive Punches

By the "Old 'Un"

When is a fluke?

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The other day a golfer of sorts, who shall be nameless, took his trusty club (never mind which) for the tee shot at a hole 190 yards or so away and put the ball on the green.

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He then took his trusty putter and "went down" in one putt, getting the hole in two. And a witness of the occurrence said "What a fluke!"

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The next time said golfer played said hole he made it in five. Was the two, therefore, a fluke, and if so, why?

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Now, supposing said golfer had made a really "rotten" shot off that tee the first time and his ball had hit, say a tree, well off the line of the course, and had then rebounded onto the green dead to the "pin," that, in our opinion, would have been a fluke, but because he tried to do something which he cannot always succeed in doing, but did on that occasion successfully, it is most unjust to call it a fluke.

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And a great many golfers who are not exactly in the first rank in point of skill are frequently unfair to themselves when they bring off something of the kind and then themselves call it a fluke when it is nothing of the kind.

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Were they to realize that their success was really due to the correct playing of the shots, and thereby also realize that they are quite capable of doing again what they have just done once, they would thus acquire CONFIDENCE, and this is half the battle—the other half being KEEPING THE HEAD DOWN.

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Now MARTIN WATSON, who is the professional of the Spokane Country Club, made a two the other day on No. 12 of his home course (190 yards).

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Nobody said that was a fluke. And he proved that it wasn't by making the same hole in two in five successive rounds. And there's a novel golf lesson for you.

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Seeing that CHINA is very much in the news just now we will conclude today's talk, dear brethren, with a little anecdote of the KIANGWAN links SHANGHAI, which is going the rounds.

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The hero of this story hit his ball straight and true down the fairway, but could not find it, neither he, nor his caddy, nor his opponent. A fore caddy who helped in the hunt eventually found it wedged between the horns of a goat tethered on the fair green. It was dislodged, dropped (without penalty) and the game went on. What a lie (to find the ball in).

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BILL COOK WINS THE SCORING HONORS

Dick Irvin Takes Second Place With One Point Less—Fredrickson Is Fourth

MONTREAL, March 31.—Scoring honors in the National Hockey League for the year 1926-27 were won by Bill Cook, right wing player of the New York Rangers, according to the complete records for scheduled games completed March 26, issued today by President Calder.

Cook scored thirty-three goals and assisted in four others for a total of thirty-seven points.

Dick Irvin, captain of the Black Hawks, was second with thirty-six points, eighteen goals and eighteen assists.

Howie Morenz, centre of the Canadiens, was third with thirty-two points, including twenty-five goals.

Frank Fredrickson of Boston and Babe Dye of Chicago, finished fourth and fifth, respectively, with thirty-one and thirty points.

Nels Stewart retained his title as "bad man" of the league. He sat beside the timers for 133 minutes during the season.

Williams and Alonzo Beaten at Tennis by Borotra and Brugnon

PHILADELPHIA, March 31.—Jean Borotra and Jacques Brugnon, French tennis stars, came to Philadelphia today and cleaned up Richard N. Williams, last year's Davis Cup captain, and Manuel Alonzo, Spanish wizard, in singles and doubles on the indoor courts of the Philadelphia Athletic Club.

Owing to lack of time the singles were limited to one set and the doubles to two sets.

Brugnon defeated Williams 7-5, and Borotra, who won the indoor championship in New York last week, beat Alonzo 6-3.

In the doubles the French pair beat Williams and Alonzo 9-7, 6-3.

Keating Bosketball

Three basketball games will be played at the Temperance Hall, Keating, tonight, with the first commencing at 8 o'clock.

The complete programme follows, visiting clubs being the first mentioned:

Red Birds vs. Keating Girls.

Saanichton Intermediates vs. Keating Intermediate C.

Three C's vs. Keating Intermediate B.

NATIONALISTS TO CONTROL CHINA

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toms collected reached Peking. Our present customs probe would look very weak alongside of that. So the western powers, with China's full permission and approval, took over the administration of the customs, and for some decades a Britisher has had the position of inspector-general of maritime customs, because they trusted his sagacity and fairmindedness. Not only was it the will of the Chinese, but of other powers, that a Britisher should hold that position. It is interesting to note that Sir Francis Aglen, who has been recently discharged from that position, was one of the many who have held that position of inspector-general of maritime customs. Chinese in the south have stated recently in their newspapers that the Peking Government was facing financial suicide by discharging a man who had been one of their most valued and trusted employees during the thirty-nine years of his service for them.

As I have already pointed out, by 1912 conditions had changed and the people were eager for reform. The southern party, most of them educated abroad, had planned to change the corrupt conditions. Of course you cannot change a nation in a day, and you cannot change the corruption in a year, and the western powers distrusted their hopes and plans, and Bland, The Daily Mail correspondent in Shanghai, claimed that it was a mere paper desire to improve conditions, and that we should not make any attempt to loosen up the hold on the Far East. That was our mistake; we listened to men like Bland. The result was things got progressively worse. They broke away from the south and chaos followed, which has gone from bad to worse ever since, until now we find ourselves in a very awkward position in the Far East, facing the possibility of a great conflagration and a world war on the Pacific.

Should Have Revoked Rights

What would be the steps we should have taken at that time, the steps we must ultimately take? These are the steps: First, we should have handed back to the Chinese the right to control the collection of their customs duties, and to set the tariff level. This could not be done in a day, because all the best trained men were British and foreigners, but it could be done gradually, over a period of ten years, by having the men study the situation under the guidance of the foreigners. Secondly, we should have relinquished our hold over extraterritoriality gradually. We should also have granted to the Chinese joint administration of the concessions, which we have not done till the last few months, and then only under duress. Then we should have granted them full police authority in those concessions when they had proved their power to undertake it. But all of these must rest on one other thing, that is, a moratorium. Successive Chinese governments, who thought more of lining their own pockets than of advancing the interests of their nation, and who did not represent the best interests of the nation, borrowed heavily from abroad, and mortgaged most of their revenues, including customs revenue. The result was, the government Yuan Shih-kai took over had no definite source of income. They had no method of paying the armies, no money to pay for setting up the new judicial system, which in a country of 400 million people would cost a great deal. So a moratorium should have been granted then, and should yet be granted—possibly a ten-year moratorium. It would be better to have the assurance of collecting ten years later than the almost certain assurance that we will collect nothing. That is the problem we are facing today.

China's Situation Today

To come to more recent events. The peace treaty gave China a new sense of equality and national sovereignty. The peace treaty considered her the equal of other nations, and this impressed many Chinese who heard about what had happened in Paris and Versailles. Again, in the Washington conference of 1922 did we give at least a formal recognition of equality, and the powers promised to do something for them, a promise which could not be kept. We cannot blame them for not keeping it then, for conditions were so bad they saw not way to put it into effect. Other things had caused China to veer around against Britain. Japan had returned Tsing Tau, for which China was thankful, and the anti-Japanese boycott immediately ceased and Japan took the role of the friend of China. Partly through the influence of the late President Harding, another great institution was destroyed in that Washington conference, the Anglo-Japanese Alliance. Britain, in the hope that a new Anglo-American-Japanese alliance could maintain peace better, was deceived into breaking off the old alliance, one that was kept to the letter by Japan throughout the years of its history. By the peace treaty, Germany and Austria had renounced their rights in China, their concessions, and their extraterritorial rights; they were taken from them almost by a forced measure. Then Russia, whose legal claim to her concessions in China was very weak, had renounced all legal claims abroad, and they turned east and, in order to make bad things better, made a treaty with China which formally handed over to China her concessions, and gave back to China the right to try her subjects in their courts. This was gradually narrowing down toward the focussing of all Chinese feeling against Britain, and one of the most striking factors of the present situation is the isolation of Britain.

Britain's Difficult Position

Those who speak of Britain's foreign policy slightingly should consider the position Britain is in. She is no more responsible for conditions in China than any other power. She, indeed, has taken the lead in these special privileges in the past, but other countries have had the benefit of them. The United States never asked special concessions, but United States merchants have built up their businesses under the protection of British arms and British law. This criticism of Britain sending out a force to protect her nationals, to endeavor to give them security of life and property, has reached its culmination in the disgraceful speech of Mr. Wheatley, Labor member of Parliament, the other day, and everybody filled with pride at the reply of Lord Birkenhead when he said it was our proud boast in the days before Wheatley that all those were English who stood for England, and no English life should be imperilled without the resources of the Empire being invoked to his assistance. This was but the echo of those splendid words of Palmerston three generations earlier, words which are looked upon by thousands of Britishers in the far-flung outposts of the earth as their Magna Charta of security, and sacred symbol of safety. It was on the occasion of an unprovoked attack by a Greek on a Gibraltar Jew who was a British subject, and Palmerston was defending the policy of protecting him. These were his words: "As a Roman in the days of old counted himself free from attack and free from molestation when he could say Civis Romanus sum, so also every British subject, in whatever land he may be, shall feel confidence that the watchful eye and the strong arm of England will protect him against injustice and wrong."

May Be No War

The present situation is not hopeless by any means. Those who think that, because Britain has sent more than twenty thousand men to the Far East to protect her subjects, a war is likely to break out, are deceived. Twenty thousand men would be useless in any sort of a campaign in the Yangtze Valley. The Cantonese know that. If they have criticized our policy, it is to gain face with their own people, not because they think we have any offensive plans in view. Twenty thousand men, as you could see from a map, could barely protect the great investments of British capital and the British citizens in the Shanghai settlement.

One important matter in the present situation is the crumbling of the Northern military alliance under the pressure of the Nationalist armies. The Nationalist party, who a few months ago were despised and looked upon as future conquerors of China, as a merely sectional party, have now gained control over nearly two-thirds of China. They marched over the most difficult country in Honan Province, covering long distances where they had no railways to help them, and defeated armies much superior in equipment and strength. They advanced on cities in the Yangtze Valley and, by capturing these, they immediately called the attention of the world to themselves and their success. The honor for their success was not due to the brilliant military genius of Chiang Kai-Shek, or the Russian officers who are his advisors, but to the fact that the Nationalist sentiment, started by Yuan Shih-kai, had begun to sift into the hearts of the Chinese.

Mostly Behind Nationalists

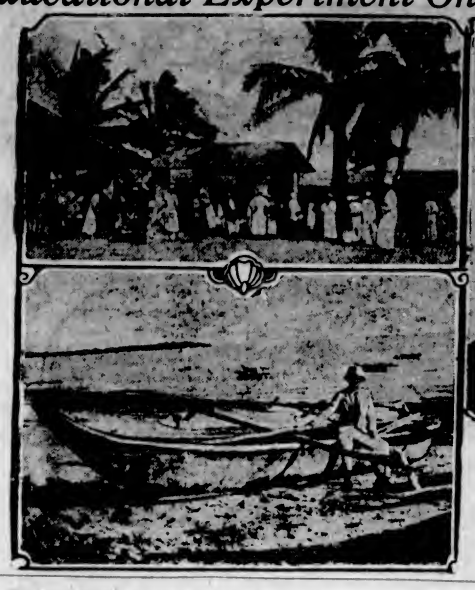
It is foolish to disregard the apparent fact that about ninety-five per cent of the Chinese today stand whole-heartedly behind the principles of the more conservative side of the Nationalist party. There is not any sympathy with the Northern leaders at all. Those who fight, fight for their bread and butter and because they are forced by press gangs and under threat of death. The Northern alliance is crumbling bit by bit. Wu Pei-fu, one of the greatest leaders, is now eliminated. Sun Chuang-fang, the lord of five provinces, is also eliminated and is going into retirement with the large fortune he has amassed. And the other Northern leaders, formerly bandits, are the only ones who are left now to face this difficult situation in the South. Furthermore, this gradual change is becoming more and more in favor of the Cantonese. Feng Yu-hsiang, the military victor of a year ago, is now with 30,000 men on the borders of Honan, ready to strike when they advance southward and cut off their retreat. His army of 20,000 men is almost as disciplined as his old army of 30,000. He is one of the conservative wing of the Chinese army, and those who have read of his anti-foreign and anti-Christian spirit should remember that this has probably come from those who have personal animosity against him. There is no man so greatly spoken against by his enemies or so highly spoken of by his friends as Feng. If he throws in his influence on the side of justice and proper and reasonable distribution of our rights, probably the future will be bright with hope and peace and security of life and property will take the place of the present chaotic atmosphere.

Nationalists Soon in Power

Those who have been studying the Chinese situation feel confident—and this includes, I think, the feeling of the British Foreign Office—that within six months at the most the Chinese Nationalist party will probably control the whole of China, and we hope as has been the history of the past—for examples from the past give us many cases of this—that power will give them greater conservatism and greater reasonableness; and when they find their weapon of terror is no longer needed they will be more reasonable and just in their demands, and we will be able to sit around the council table without the danger of racial animosity and hatred spoiling any decision that may be reached.

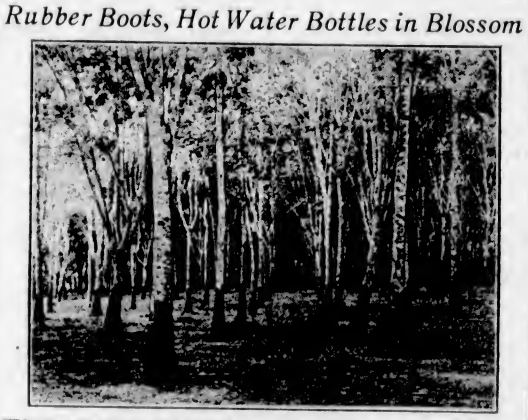
It would be well to remember, in closing, the warning words of Sir John Jordan, uttered in England two years ago. They were his last public utterance. He was Britain's greatest ambassador to the court of Peking, and for many years his sagacity and foresight and profound knowledge of Chinese thought and history won him a high place in the praise and esteem of both Chinese and foreigners, so that when his death was announced it was as widely mourned in the Land of the Blue Gown as in Britain. These were his words: "Let us remember that the new China, arising in all the equality of her sovereign rights, having her place at the council table of the world, is not only Britain's opportunity, but Britain's responsibility, for she holds within her hand the fateful gift of peace or war in Asia."—Financial Post.

Educational Experiment On in East Africa



Top, the market at Tabora, 700 miles from the coast in the interior of Eastern Africa, where Prof. W. B. Mumford, now at Toronto University for research study, has a home to which he is returning with his wife and little son soon. Below, a Zanzibar native. At right, Prof. W. B. Mumford, who is applying practical psychology to a remarkable educational experiment in the southern continent.

Rubber Boots, Hot Water Bottles in Blossom



FROM goloshes to tires and in a thousand ways between the two, the modern world would be entirely lost without rubber. It is a key product that in every sense makes the wheels of progress go round. But common as is the knowledge of the finished product so that there is not a man, woman or child who has not seen it in some form or other, there are few of us who have ever seen a rubber plantation in full bloom and on its native heath, so to speak. Rubber is a dingy-looking product, but its trees of origin are a light and beautiful spectacle, resembling nothing so much as a sugar-maple in early Spring. This photograph was taken recently at Singapore during the round-the-world cruise of the Canadian Pacific Empress of Scotland. The plantation here shown has reached its present growth within the last twenty-five years.

Egyptian Tomb Found 5,000 Years Closed

CAIRO, Egypt, March 31.—Discovery of a tomb estimated to be fifty centuries old, dating back to the third dynasty of the ancient Pharaohs, was announced today. The discoverers say it may be the earliest tomb ever found in Egypt.

The find was made by Cecil Firth, who has been conducting excavations in behalf of the antiquities department of the Egyptian Government, at Sakkara, a village near the ruins of Memphis.

British-Mexican Pact Ratification Announced

MEXICO CITY, March 31.—The British-Mexican convention providing for the adjustment of claims of British citizens for damages sustained through revolutionary activities in Mexico during the period from 1910 to 1923, has been ratified.

It is stipulated that the claims commission shall be composed of one Britisher, one Mexican and a neutral.

The Foreign Office at London announced Wednesday that the claims convention with Mexico had been completed. The agreement was signed last November.

CITY TEMPLE FAIR OPENED BY MAYOR

Enterprise at Armories Starts Off in Blaze of Color and Music—Attendance Large

Color, movement, music, and hundreds of shoppers and entertainment seekers made of the Fancy Fair, opened yesterday afternoon by Mayor Pendray and Mrs. Pendray, one of the most fascinating affairs of the kind ever assembled under the roof of the Armories, Bay Street.

Mayor and Mrs. Pendray were received at the hall by Rev. Dr. Clem Davies, pastor of the City Temple, under whose auspices the Fair is being held, and after the Mayor's address, in which he extended the best wishes for the success of the undertaking, and complimented the various church organizations on the energy and initiative they had displayed in creating the display, Miss Dorothy Davies, the pastor's little daughter, presented Mrs. Pendray with a basket of flowers. The gift was accompanied by a dainty gauze handkerchief presented by the C.G.I.T.

A tour of the Fair brought to light some of the numerous bargains which are offered at the various stalls in charge of the ladies of the church. These are arranged as follows:

Japanese kiosk, containing fancy-work, in charge of Mrs. Deaville; rustic kiosk, plants and flowers; apple-green kiosk, books and art; C.G.I.T. kiosks (three in number, decorated in the group colors, mauve, green and gold), sweet peas, handkerchiefs, and novelties respectively, Mrs. Hammond in charge; Ladies' League kiosks (three in number, decorated in cerise and white), infants' wear, house dresses and aprons, and underwear, in charge of Mrs. J. E. Fuller; choir stall (decorated in wistaria), Easter novelties and candy, in charge of Dr. Estelle Kelley; Foxall's studio kiosk, containing a display of art portraiture.

Continuous Entertainment

A continuous programme features the Fair. Among the particularly attractive features yesterday were the dances by little girls. When there were not special musical programmes in progress, the Orthophonic music given by courtesy of Messrs. Fletcher Bros., or the radio programme at Mr. James Bryant's stand added a lively touch to the proceedings.

The afternoon programme was as follows: Orchestral selections; motion pictures in room marked "Motion Pictures," showing scenes along the Canadian National Railways and waterways, Jasper National Park, the Triangular Tour, the Norway of the Pacific; garland dance and humorous sketch, "Mrs. Maitby's Mole." There were Irish jigs, a narcissus dance, and orchestral selections. In the evening there was a ballet dance and dramatic entertainment by pupils of Miss Michaelis; a Grecian ball game and dramatic entertainment; and "Coppelia Ballet" and ensemble. The City Temple band played also, conducted by Mr. Charles Raine.

Among the numerous side-shows which found great favor was the fortune telling. This took place in a little witch's cottage, green shuttered, and with roses clambering over the windows. Here a queue of would-be seers into the future was to be found at any hour of the afternoon or evening.

Above are pictures of the medal struck in 1867 to commemorate Confederation. It is proposed to strike similar medals at the Canadian mint to celebrate the jubilee this year. The present proposal is to strike these medals in gold, silver, bronze and nickel.

Medals May Commemorate Canada Jubilee

BY-LAW IS PASSED BY BIG MAJORITY; LIGHT VOTE CAST

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other branches of sport. It would be able now to cater not only to the young men of the city, but also to elderly men. The new building would offer facilities for the ladies' guild of the J.B.A.A. and the club's social activities would now be carried on in its own building.

Capt. J. W. Troup, manager of the B.C. Coast Steamship Service, said:

"We are very much pleased to learn that the by-law has passed with a large majority. The company will now be in a position to follow up its application to the Dominion Government for the foreshore, and if this goes through promptly, the elimination of the James Bay Athletic Association building, and the wharf extensions will quickly follow.

"I might point out once more the fact that the present arrangement was suggested by a committee of citizens, and not by any official of the Canadian Pacific. A plan was agreed upon which necessitated the purchase of the Piggott property on the Gorge. The company went ahead in good faith, paid cash for the property, and is prepared to carry out the further expenditures to complete the undertaking.

"The grant of the property by the City, does not turn over the occupancy to us as a gift free from encumbrances. The Dominion Government will exact a rental for the foreshore for all time, hence it may be seen that the company, in addition to the fixed charge on the capital investment, will be subjected to a substantial foreshore rental.

"In any event, it is gratifying to know that the citizens have endorsed the plan as originally negotiated, and that the City will be rid of a very decided eyesore on the waterfront, while the James Bay Athletic Association will be in possession of an ideal site, which will serve admirably for their aquatic and other activities, and this includes a clubhouse.

"Thanks are due to the Mayor, the committees of the Chamber of Commerce, the various service clubs, and the James Bay boys for the support they have given this measure, which is clearly in the public interest."

Sir Henry Thornton On Wage Increases And Cost to Railway

OTTAWA, March 31.—The report of the Canadian National Railways for 1926 and the main estimates totalling $32,500,000 for the system, covering the fiscal year 1927-28 were approved by the special committee on national railways and shipping, of the House of Commons this afternoon. Estimates for the ensuing financial year represent a decrease of $8,500,000 as compared with the fiscal year 1926-27. Of this sum $17,834,418 is to be spent on general additions and betterments. The balance of the amount is to be expended for contingencies, such as wage and other increases.

Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, under examination informed the committee that the wage settlement of December last with conductors and trainmen, would cost the system between five and a half million and six million dollars in 1927. This calculation included increases to various other trades within the railways arising as a consequence of the wage agreement.

"I do not begrudge recognition to the employees," commented Sir Henry. "It has been said that elections do not succeed by prayer alone, and in the railway business the time came when something tangible was expected in return for good and conscientious work."

Conservative Leaders on Sir Charles H. Tupper

OTTAWA, March 31.—Tribute to the late Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper was paid today by Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Conservative leader in the House, and by Sir George Foster, old colleagues of Sir Charles.

"It was with great regret I learned this morning that Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper had passed away, and that his long and distinguished career had been brought to a close," said Mr. Guthrie. "A man of sterling character, keen mind and sound judgment, he rendered very signal services to this Dominion."

Sir George Foster said: "I very much regretted to hear this morning of the death of my old friend and colleague, Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper. He possessed abilities of a high order and never spared himself in the service of his country or his party. To his widow and family I offer my heartfelt condolences."

Radio Club to Meet

The Victoria Radio Club will hold an important meeting tonight at eight o'clock at the clubrooms on Dallas Road. Several matters of importance are to be discussed, and President Harold Grant specially requests that all members be present.

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AORANGI ARRIVES AFTER FINE TRIP

CANADIAN-AUSTRALASIAN LINER HAS HAD COMPLETE OVERHAUL SINCE LAST VISIT

Large Crowds on Hand to Watch Vessel Berth—761 Travelers Come With Big Motorship

On her first trip of the year following an extensive overhaul and refitting at Sydney, the Canadian-Australasian Royal Mail motorship Aorangi, Captain Crawford, reached port last night about 7 o'clock from Australia, New Zealand and Honolulu. Her master reported an excellent trip all the way.

The big motorship brought in the largest passenger list for some time, there being 761 travelers in all classes, including 384 cabin, 205 second and 172 third. Cargo on board totalled 2,400 tons, composed chiefly of New Zealand butter, skins and frozen meat. For Victoria she had 220 tons of freight, 320 passengers and 450 bags of mail.

While off, the Aorangi was given a most extensive overhaul. Her cabins, saloons and passages have been freshly painted and decorated, and the vessel was greatly admired by the large crowds which were down to see her.

Among the prominent passengers who returned with the ship was Mr. J. C. Irons, Vancouver manager of the Canadian-Australasian line. Mr. Irons has been away five months on a combined business and pleasure trip in New Zealand and Australia. He was accompanied by Mrs. Irons.

Mr. H. R. Bevan, former manager of the Bay Street branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, returned with his wife after spending a holiday at Honolulu.

The ship left at 10:15 p.m. for Vancouver.

Speedboat Sold at Auction

The speedboat M438, which was seized by the Customs Department in a raid on Discovery Island some time ago, was sold yesterday by auction to the Canadian Fishing Company of Vancouver, for $690.

E. & N. RAILWAY SCHEDULE

Trains leave Victoria at 9 a.m. and 4:55 p.m. daily for Wellington and way points.

The 9 a.m. train runs through to Courtenay and Port Alberni daily except Sunday.

Returning, the trains arrive Victoria at 10:50 a.m. and 5 p.m.

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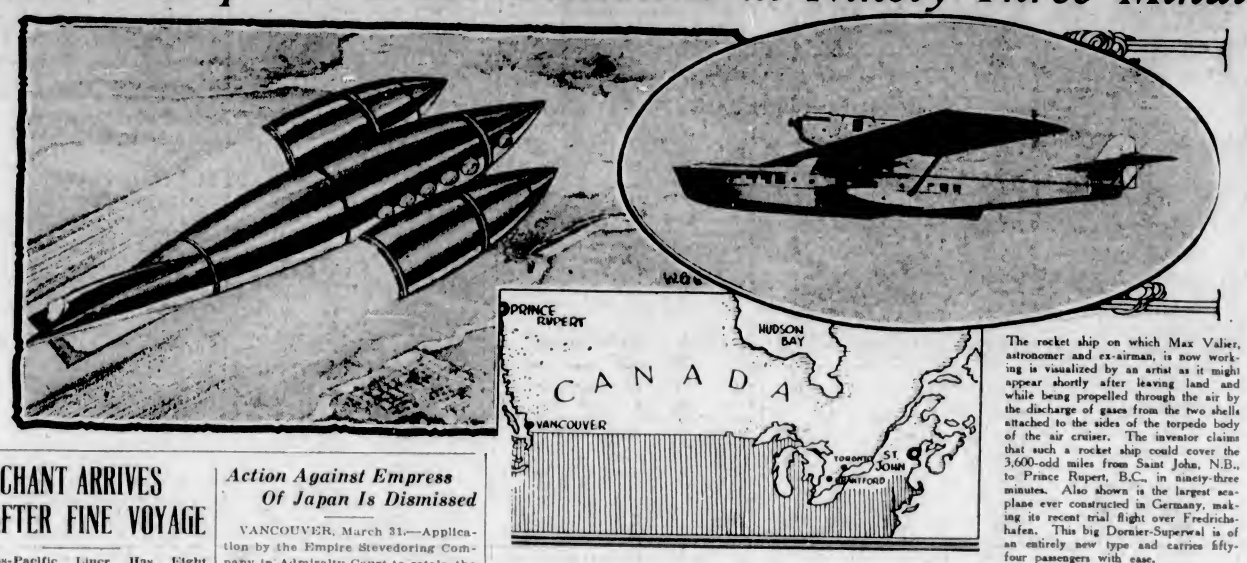

The rocket ship on which Max Valier, astronomer and ex-airman, is now working is visualized by an artist as it might appear shortly after leaving land and while being propelled through the air by the discharge of gases from the two shells attached to the sides of the torpedo body of the air cruiser. The inventor claims that such a rocket ship could cover the 3,600-odd miles from Saint John, N.B., to Prince Rupert, B.C., in ninety-three minutes. Also shown is the largest seaplane ever constructed in Germany, making its recent trial flight over Fredrichshafen. This big Dornier-Superwal is of an entirely new type and carries fifty-four passengers with ease.

MERCHANT ARRIVES AFTER FINE VOYAGE

Furness-Pacific Liner Has Eight Passengers and 436 Tons of Cargo for Victoria

Inbound from the United Kingdom via Canal and Pacific Coast ports, the Furness-Pacific liner London Merchant, Capt. J. W. Anderson, berthed here yesterday morning. Her master reported an excellent trip across the Atlantic and up the coast.

The vessel brought out a capacity list of twelve, one passenger debarking at San Francisco and one at Los Angeles. For Victoria she had eight passengers. Capt. and Mrs. A. J. Porter, of Cobble Hill, were returning after a holiday trip to England. They were to leave today for their home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Lowther and their little daughter had only a few hours to spend in the capital. They got off the Merchant this morning and were to sail this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock on the N.Y.K. vessel Yokohama Maru for Japan and China.

Other passengers debarking here were: Mr. and Mrs. Wheaton, who will settle in Victoria, Mr. Wheaton having come to the city last year and arranged for the buying of a home here; and Miss Wylde, who will visit her sister, Mrs. T. Goward, here. Two passengers remained on board for Vancouver.

In cargo the Merchant had $43 measurement and ninety-three deadweight tons for Victoria. Some of this was engaged for the Canadian Government freighter Canadian Skirmisher and included a big liquor shipment, oranges, firebricks, steel, iron, cotton and merchandise.

Weather Report

Estevan—Cloudy; calm; 29.84; 45; light swell.

Pachena—Part cloudy; southeast, light; 29.75; 47; moderate swell.

Cape Beale—Part cloudy; east, light; 29.65; light swell.

Carmanah—Part cloudy; northeast, light; 29.70; light swell.

Alert Bay—Rain; 29.83; 46; smooth.

Prince Rupert—Clear; calm; 29.82; 54; smooth.

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The "Imperial" leaves Vancouver at 9:00 p.m. daily for Calgary, Winnipeg and Montreal. The "Toronto Express" leaves Vancouver at 8:30 a.m. daily for Calgary, Winnipeg and Toronto. Both trains carry Standard and Tourist Sleepers, also Compartment Observation Cars. The "Imperial" and "Toronto Express" make connection at Calgary for Edmonton. There is also a through Standard Sleeper from Vancouver to Chicago operated on the "Imperial." The Coast-Kootenay train leaves Vancouver at 7:30 p.m. for Okanagan and Kootenay points, carrying through Standard Sleeper to Nelson. For further information phone 1270 or 121, or call at the City Ticket Office, 1102 Government Street, or the Wharf Ticket Office.

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Action Against Empress Of Japan Is Dismissed

VANCOUVER, March 31.—Application by the Empire Stevedoring Company in Admiralty Court to retain the bail bond or rearrest the Empress of Japan pending appeal to the Exchequer Court from a judgment dismissing the Empire Company's claim for $3,500, has been dismissed by Mr. Justice Martin. The Empress is in process of being demolished and the plaintiff alleged grave fear that before its appeal could be determined the ship might be entirely destroyed. An affidavit that she would not depreciate below $3,500 within five and a half months was accepted by His Lordship, who commented that the appeal, set down for May 17, should be determined within that time.

PIONEER SHIPPING FIRM CHANGES HANDS

Sale of J. A. Cates Tug and Wharfage Company Reported Sold to Gulf of Georgia Towing Company

VANCOUVER, March 31.—Sale of the J. A. Cates Tug and Wharfage Company, Limited's, fleet, warehouse, dock and goodwill to the Gulf of Georgia Towing Company, Limited, is announced. The new owners will take over the property on Friday.

Whether the transaction will mean the retirement of Captain J. A. Cates, pioneer coast shipping man, is not indicated. He declared that he had made no plans for the immediate future.

Captain Cates pioneered the Howe Sound mail and passenger run, developed the Terminal Steam Navigation Company and sold out seven years ago to the Union Steamship Company of British Columbia. Five years ago he built the tug Radio. Later he built the tug Radius.

The amount involved in the sale has not been announced, but the transfer includes wharf, warehouse and property of the Cates Company on False Creek, near Kitsilano bridge, the tug Radio and a fleet of seven scows.

With these additions to its holdings, the Gulf of Georgia Towing Company, Limited, will have a fleet of four tugs and a large number of scows. Three tugs, Gabriola, Goblin, Radio, are motor-driven, and the fourth, Estud, is a steamer.

Givenchy to Have Overhaul

The C.G.S. fishery patrol boat Givenchy will go to the Victoria Machinery Depot this morning for cleaning, painting and general overhaul. She will be in about a week.

Shipping Information

TIDES AT VICTORIA

APRIL

Date	Time	H't	Time	H't	Time	H't	Time	H't
	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.
1	2:40	6.1	8:32	4.6	14:16	8.9	20:44	3.3
2	3:03	6.3	9:26	3.8	15:19	7.6	21:28	4.1
3	3:29	6.3	10:13	3.0	16:23	7.6	22:11	5.0
4	3:54	6.3	11:03	2.4	17:44	7.4	22:56	5.9
5	4:28	6.2	11:23	2.0	19:37	7.4	23:44	6.8
6	4:49	6.2	12:47	1.9	22:16	7.7		
7	0:39	7.5	5:02	6.3	13:42	1.9	23:51	8.1
8	1:45	8.0	6:47	5.4	14:33	2.1		
9	1:24	8.4					15:36	2.4
10	1:43	8.5					16:33	2.8
11	2:12	8.4		7.0		7.3	17:30	3.2
12	2:33	8.2	9:03	4.9	11:04	6.7	18:21	3.3
13	2:54	8.1	8:41	6.0	12:14	6.6	19:06	4.0
14	3:14	7.9	8:47	3.3	13:18	6.6	19:46	4.3
15	3:37	7.8	9:07	4.7	14:17	6.7	20:21	4.9
16	3:27	7.8	9:28	4.1	15:11	6.8	20:52	5.3
17	3:45	8.0	9:53	3.6	16:04	6.8	21:23	5.7
18	3:32	8.0	10:21	3.1	17:02	6.8	21:40	6.2
19	3:56	8.1	11:03	2.7	18:24	6.8	20:32	6.7
20	3:02	8.3	11:46	2.4		7.0		7.0
21	3:14	8.2	12:31	2.1				
22	3:36	8.7	13:17	1.9				
23	4:12	8.9	14:05	1.0				
24	5:06	8.8	14:54	2.0		7.2		7.1
25	6:08	8.1	15:49	2.7				
26	0:36	7.7	5:01	7.3	7:19	7.1	16:44	3.3
27	0:33	7.8	6:08	6.2	10:38	7.0	17:42	3.1
28	0:44	8.0	7:03	5.2	12:09	7.0	18:33	3.7
29	1:03	8.2	7:49	4.1	13:26	7.1	19:23	4.2
30	1:33	8.3	8:33	3.0	14:39	7.3	20:13	5.0

The time used is Pacific standard, for the 120th Meridian, west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

Equimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the dry dock at any tide, add 18.9 feet to the height of high water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET
APRIL

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of April, 1927.

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	5:54	7:40	12	5:26	7:03
2	5:52	7:42	13	5:19	7:06
3	5:49	7:44	14	5:16	7:08
4	5:47	7:46	15	5:14	7:09
5	5:45	7:48	16	5:12	7:10
6	5:42	7:50	17	5:11	7:12
7	5:39	7:51	18	5:09	7:13
8	5:37	7:53	19	5:07	7:14
9	5:35	7:54	20	5:06	7:16
10	5:33	7:56	21	5:04	7:17
11	5:31	7:58	22	5:03	7:18
12	5:29	7:59	23	5:01	7:19
13	5:27	8:00	24	5:00	7:21
14	5:25	8:02	25	4:58	7:22
15	5:23	8:03	26	4:57	7:24

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SEATTLE, March 31.—Arrived: Point Sur, Portland; Romulus, Honolulu; Gaelic Star, Vancouver; Makaweli, Gray's Harbor; Ms. Oregon, San Francisco; Marsodak, Everett; Plow City, Tacoma; Jane Nettleton, San Pedro; Meiyo Maru, Yokohama. Sailed: Toyania Maru, Everett; Chas. R. Wilson, Queen, Southeastern Alaska; Astoria, San Pedro; Yokohama Maru, Kobe; Edgar F. Luckenbach, San Francisco; Mystic, Wapama, Tacoma.

EVERETT, March 31.—Arrived: Ms. Admiral Peary, Wapkeena, Seattle; Yoneyama Maru, Yokohama; Marsodak, Charleston; Barbara C., San Pedro. Sailed: Marsodak, Seattle.

PORTLAND, March 31.—Arrived: Necanicum, Captain A. F. Lucas, San Francisco; Knoxville City, Seattle; Olympic, Caddopeak, Los Angeles; Lake Benbow, New York. Sailed: Socony, with Barge No. 88, Los Angeles; Mojave, Celilo, Ryder Hanify, San Francisco; Sugillenco, New York; Svea, Los Angeles; West Cayote, Taku Bar.

TACOMA, March 31.—Arrived: Paris City, Kobe; Wapama, President Lincoln, Seattle. Sailed: Brookdale, Santiago, Wapama, Derblay, Seattle.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Arrived: Wallingford, Whitney Olsen, J. C. Fitzsimmons, Utacarbon, San Pedro; Ida, Hamburg; Theodore Roosevelt, Antwerp; Suportco, New Orleans; Canadian Observer, Ocean Falls; San Roberto, Rosario; Sucarisco, Mobile; Hamburg Maru, New York. Sailed: Thomas, Honolulu; Ventura, Sydney; Myrtle, Philadelphia; Esther Johnson, Grays Harbor; Kentucklan, Katrina Luckenbach, Seattle; Balboa, Honolulu.

Arrived

OSAKA, March 30.—Oridono Maru, Grays Harbor.

LIVERPOOL, March 30.—West Katan, San Pedro; City of Winnipeg, San Francisco.

CRISTOBAL, March 30.—Atlantic, Seattle.

MANILA, March 31.—President Pierce, San Francisco.

Sailed

NEW YORK, March 31.—President Harrison, San Francisco; Robert Luckenbach, San Francisco.

HONG KONG, March 31.—West Niger, Portland.

YOKOHAMA, March 29.—Rhine Maru, Seattle.

LONDON, March 31.—Loch Goil, San Francisco.

PANAMA CANAL, March 30.—Crisfield, Robin Goodfellow, Samuel Q. Brown, J. L. Luckenbach, American, Calliope, San Pedro.

WIRELESS REPORT

Estevan, 5 P.M. Unless Otherwise Stated.

Canadian Rover, Ocean Falls to San Pedro, 736 miles from San Pedro.

Hurryon, Chemainus to San Pedro, 310 miles south of Cape Flattery.

Yaye Maru, Prince Rupert to Panama, 200 miles north of San Francisco.

Trontolite, San Pedro to Ioco, 52 miles south of Cape Flattery.

Rochelle, San Francisco to Victoria, 10 miles from San Francisco.

Indian City, Vancouver to San Pedro, 110 miles north of San Francisco.

Canadian Importer, San Francisco to Portland, 576 miles from Portland.

City of Vancouver, Yokohama to Vancouver, 1,115 miles from Victoria.

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Highlander, en route from Chemainus to Kingston and British ports; arrive Kingston March 30.

Canadian Importer, discharging San Pedro; thence San Francisco and Victoria.

Canadian Beaver, en route from San Francisco to Vancouver; arrive March 25.

Canadian Seigneur, en route Norfolk to Antwerp.

Canadian Ranger, en route from Victoria to Halifax and Montreal; arrive Halifax April 18.

Canadian Transporter, loading Glasgow; sails March 23.

Canadian Winner, loading Vancouver; sails for Montreal April 2.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

Protesilaus, from Orient, March 24.
Empress of Asia, from Orient, March 27.
President Lincoln, from Orient, March 28.
Toyama Maru, from Orient, March 30.
London Merchant, from United Kingdom, March 30.
Aorangi, from Australia, New Zealand and Honolulu, April 1.
Noorderdyk, from United Kingdom, April 4.
President Cleveland, from Orient, April 11.
Taitnybius, from Orient, April 13.
Kaga Maru, from Orient, April 23.
Arizona Maru, from Orient, April 16.
Empress of Canada, from Orient, April 17.
London Shipper, from United Kingdom, April 17.
President Pierce, from Orient, April 25.
Niagara, from Australia, New Zealand and Honolulu, April 29.
Africa Maru, from Orient, May 1.
Achilles, from Orient, May 2.

Departures

Alabama Maru, for Orient, March 23.
Shidzuoka Maru, for Orient, March 23.
Yokohama Maru, for Orient, March 31.
Arabia Maru, for Orient, April 5.
Aorangi, for Honolulu, New Zealand and Australia, April 6.
Protesilaus, for Orient, April 7.
Empress of Asia, for Orient, April 9.
President Lincoln, for Orient, April 12.
President Cleveland, for Orient, April 26.
Kaga Maru, for Orient, April 27.
Empress of Canada, for Orient, April 28.
Arizona Maru, for Orient, Mar 3.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS
APRIL, 1927
China and Japan

Arabia Maru—Mails close April 5, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 20.

Empress of Asia—Mails close April 9, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 21; Shanghai, April 26; Hong Kong, April 29.

President Lincoln — Mails close April 12, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 24; Shanghai, April 28; Hong Kong, May 1.

Asuka Maru (via Vancouver)—Mails close April 15, 11 p.m. Due at Yokohama May 3.

President Cleveland — Mails close April 26, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama May 8; Shanghai, May 12; Hong Kong, May 15.

Empress of Canada—Mails close April 28, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama May 9; Shanghai, May 14, Hong Kong, May 17.

Australia and New Zealand

Aorangi—Mails close April 6, 6 p.m. Due at Auckland April 25; Sydney, April 30.

Tahiti (via San Francisco)—Mails close April 17, 4 p.m. Due at Wellington May 9.

Sierra (via San Francisco)—Mails close May 18, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney May 12.

Niagara—Mails close May 4, 6 p.m. Due at Auckland May 23; Sydney, May 28.

WINTER SCHEDULE TO GULF ISLAND POINTS

The steamer Otter leaves Belleville Street Wharf every Monday and Wednesday at 7:15 a.m., and every Thursday at 8 a.m. for the Gulf Islands.

Also the Princess Royal leaves Victoria every Tuesday at 11 a.m. for Vancouver, calling at Port Washington, Ganges Harbor and Mayne Island en route. For further information phone 171 or 1276.

20,000 PASSENGERS EXPECTED FOR TOUR

American Legion Will Make Pilgrimage to France—Official States Plenty of Space Is Available

Mr. J. S. Mahool, passenger traffic manager of the White Star and Associated Lines, in a statement sent to the company's branch manager in Seattle, Mr. R. J. Griffiths, says that while the International Mercantile Marine Lines are prepared for a good season's business, he does not favor predictions tending to give the public the impression that no more space is available on ships bound for Europe in the tourist season.

"Outside of certain June sailings," says Mr. Mahool, "space is available in all classes. We are prepared to look out for all our regular customers and more besides.

"Business is on a sounder basis than last year. We were just getting our stride in tourist bookings in 1926 when the general strike developed in England. It had a bad effect on bookings. Then followed the six months' coal strike, which restricted the movement of ships as well as of trains in England, and that kept bookings down.

"It looks now as if we should have about as good a year for tourist business in 1927 as we had in 1913, which holds the record to date. As compared with 1926, bookings this year in first class are about the same, per sailing, and in cabin and tourist third a little ahead of last year.

"In tourist third cabin we will have considerably heavier bookings than last year, particularly late in the Summer, when the American Legion will make its ten-year-after pilgrimage to France. It looks as if about 20,000 passengers would be booked for this trip, on all the lines."

Griffco to Have Survey

The steamer Griffco will be hauled out at Yarrows today for survey. The ship went aground about three weeks ago near Ladysmith, but was not seriously damaged.

Brookdale Loads Lumber

The freighter Brookdale arrived at Ogden Point piers yesterday morning to load about 600,000 feet of lumber for Los Angeles. She will clear at noon today.

What is used every morning, is full of holes, and yet holds water? A sponge.

Shipping Notes

The tugboat J. W. P., belonging to MacFarlane Brothers, went to Vancouver, Wednesday, to be converted from a coal to an oil burner.

Tenders have been called for caulking the decks of the cableship Restorer. Estimates have been received from four local firms, it is understood, and these are now being considered in New York.

The barge Drumwall, operated by the Pacific (Coyle) Navigation Company, was hauled onto Yarrows marine railway yesterday for cleaning and painting. She will be released today.

The C.G.M.M. freighter, Canadian Coaster, arrived early yesterday morning from California ports. She brought in about 100 tons of freight, including a large shipment of fruits and vegetables.

BELCHERS ARRESTED AGAIN AT ASTORIA

Claim Against Steamer Is Same Which Was Filed Against Her by Vancouver Merchants

VANCOUVER, March 31.—The claim on which the Ss. Belchera was arrested at Astoria, Oregon, on Wednesday, is the same as that on which she was arrested and let go here several weeks ago, it was announced by W. Martin Griffin, solicitor for the plaintiffs, who are forty-seven mercantile firms in this city.

Due to a question whether telegraphic record of a decision of the Supreme Court was adequate authority, the Belchers was allowed to leave port here after having been arrested at the instance of these firms who claimed that shipments to them valued at $43,000 had been damaged in transit from Montreal.

The Belchers took fire at sea after leaving here and had to put in at Astoria. The claimants seized the opportunity and have now launched proceedings against the ship in the United States Admiralty Court, it is announced.

Seek Her Release

ASTORIA, Ore., March 31.—Officials of E. M. Cherry & Company, agents for the line operating the British steamer Belchers, stated today that negotiations toward satisfaction of libel for approximately $50,000 which has been placed on the vessel for alleged damage to cargo during a trip between Montreal and Victoria, were under way and that the libel would be cleared by filing of a bond of satisfaction by payment of the sum asked within the next forty-eight hours. The Belchers was being coaled here today in preparation for an early departure to Japan, where she is to be transferred to Japanese owners.

Services Rendered Fish Company Net Mr. Jarvis $33,135

VANCOUVER, March 31.—A statement regarding the proceedings at the the annual meeting of the B.C. Fishing and Packing Company was given out by two shareholders on Wednesday. The statement in part follows:

"The directors' report and balance sheet was laid before the shareholders. Some objection was made by certain shareholders to the fact that no depreciation had been written off either on the company's property or its subsidiary, the Wallace Fisheries. The reason for this was explained by the directors.

"The sum of $33,135 was voted to Aemilius Jarvis as a remuneration for his services in obtaining a majority of the shares in the Wallace Fisheries Limited, for the benefit of the company.

"In accordance with the request of some of the larger shareholders a resolution was passed authorizing the conversion of a portion of the common shares into 7 per cent, cumulative shares and the balance into common shares with no par value, subject to the obtaining of supplementary letters patent from the Dominion Government."

Yokohama Maru Clears With Capacity Cargo

Loaded to capacity, and with a fair passenger list, the N.Y.K. liner Yokohama Maru cleared port last night at 5:30 o'clock for Japan and China. While here the ship picked up two cabin and seventeen steerage passengers and seventy-eight bags of mail.

Stevedores Injured

VANCOUVER, March 31.—Charles Venn and Archie Manuel suffered serious injury when struck by a loaded sling while stevedoring on board the steamer Atlantic at the Hastings sawmill here this morning.

Venn, a winchman, had a piece of iron driven into his foot and may suffer the loss of several toes. Manuel was struck on the head and suffered concussion, cuts and abrasions.

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IMPROVE METHODS OF PASTEURIZING

Famous French Bacteriologist Discusses Progress Made in Lectures at Montreal

MONTREAL, March 31.—A new and improved method of pasteurizing milk, which alters the milk very little, preserving the vitamines, the cream and the taste; a new vaccine discovered at the Pasteur Institute against anthrax, typhoid, dysentery; and a new and harmless vaccine, also discovered at the Institute, against diphtheria and tetanus, are being demonstrated in Montreal by Dr. L. Boez, famous French bacteriologist, who is at the University of Montreal to lecture and demonstrate for ten weeks in connection with the recently established Institut Scientifique Franco-Canadien.

Former assistant to the great Prof. Calmette, world famous authority on tuberculosis and assistant director of the Pasteur Institute, Paris, Dr. Boez is particularly interested in tuberculosis.

Before the war he worked with Calmette at the Pasteur Institute on vaccination for tuberculosis, one of Calmette's great works. After the war Dr. Boez was called to the University of Strasbourg as Professor of Bacteriology, and was also appointed Assistant Director of the Hygiene Institute of Strasbourg. Last year he served for one year on the American commission for foot and mouth disease.

Vaccination of Babies

Vaccination against tuberculosis in the early days after birth will rid humanity of this scourge, provided also that the present hygienic and preventive work is steadily maintained, in the opinion of Dr. Boez. In support of this he cites the wonderful effects which have been achieved in many countries by vaccination of the newly-born. In France about 10,000 babies, or even more, have been vaccinated against tuberculosis. Ninety-five per cent of the tuberculosis in the world comes from tuberculous mothers, Dr. Boez pointed out, and only a very small portion—five per cent—from cattle.

It was found in France by observation over three years of thousands of children vaccinated against tuberculosis, that whereas normally twenty-five per cent of the children of tuberculous mothers died within the first year, the death rate fell to 1.9 per cent among babies in the first year when vaccination of new-born babes against the dread disease had been carried out.

"These are reliable statistics," Dr. Boez said. "Up to now we have only been able to carry our observation of the children vaccinated over a period of three years, but of course we shall carry it on over a much longer period. In Belgium, Brazil and the Argentine Republic, good results have also been obtained."

The vaccine was tried out on animals first, Dr. Boez recalled, and it was only when interesting results had been obtained from animals, and it was demonstrated that it could be done with safety that the vaccine was finally used on human beings.

Illustrated Lectures

In his lectures and demonstrations here, which are fully illustrated with experiments and moving pictures, Dr. Boez speaks on tuberculosis and the method of diagnosis, together with the relation between tuberculosis in animals and in human beings. He also presents a new method for vaccination against anthrax, typhoid and dysentry and for treatment of various infectious diseases in human beings. This method is known as the Besredka method after Dr. Besredka, who discovered it while working at the Pasteur Institute. He further speaks of another new vaccine discovered at the Pasteur Institute by Ramon for use against diphtheria and tetanus. Ramon's new vaccine is inoffensive or harmless and is called the Anatoxin Vaccine, and is used extensively in France, Dr. Boez said. He also talks of milk, and of insects which infect human beings with disease.

The new method of pasteurization is a great improvement over the American method which hitherto has been in use, according to Dr. Boez. Known as the Stassano Method, after the inventor of the method, it differs materially from the American method. Under the Stassano method pasteurization is carried out as the milk runs in very thin layers between two walls which are heated by steam at a temperature of 75 degrees, for about one minute.

Use Method in France

Under the American method, pasteurization is carried out at a temperature of 63 degrees, extending over about thirty minutes. The new method, Dr. Boez claims, is better because sterilization is more effective, the milk is not altered so much and the vitamines are preserved, and also the cream and the taste. "We are now starting to use this method in France," he said.

Dr. Boez is a firm believer in pasteurization of milk, pointing out that about five per cent of the tuberculosis originates from cattle. But milk can not only spread tuberclosis, but other diseases as well, he points out.

Funeral Services of Archbishop Emard Held

OTTAWA, March 31.—The historic Basilica was not large enough to shelter all those who sought to participate in the funeral services today of Archbishop Joseph M. Emard, former Metropolitan of the Ottawa Roman Catholic Archdiocese.

The Governor-General was represented. Premier King and several members of his Cabinet were present, also many other members of Parliament and Senators.

Following the service the body of the prelate was placed in the crypt of the Basilica.

Premier Defers Statement On Civil Servants' Pay

OTTAWA, March 31.—The statement of the Prime Minister with respect to the increases in civil servants' salaries has been deferred a week. It is understood the delay is because of the doubt as to whether a flat rate increase would fit in with the classification of the civil service commission, and this will be inquired into.

Mother—"Children, aren't you ashamed of yourselves, crawling about on all fours in the mud like little pigs?"

"But we are playing at being pigs, mother."

Board of Home Missions, United Church of Canada

The Board of Home Missions of the United Church of Canada was in session in Toronto recently. Left to right, layout above shows: Rev. John Pringle, D.D., ex-moderator of the General Assembly, and now a home missionary in the North Thompson Valley in British Columbia, who reports to the Board of Home Missions that the United Church has openings for more pastors in his area; Rev. John Doyle, D.D., in charge of missions, hospitals and social centres of the United Church for non-English-speaking people in Manitoba; Rev. Charles Endicott, D.D., of Saskatchewan, whose survey of rural Saskatchewan indicates a dearth of preaching stations in hundreds of organized school sections; Rev. J. A. Cormie, D.D., Winnipeg, and Rev. J. D. Byrnes, D.D., Barrie, Ont., superintendents of United Church missions in Northern Manitoba and Ontario.

A new system of memory training was being taught in the village school, and the teacher was enthusiastic.

"For example," he said, "suppose you want to remember the name of a poet—Bobby Burns. Fix in your mind's eye a picture of a policeman in flames. Bobby Burns. See?"

"Yes, I see," said the bright pupil, "but how is one to know it doesn't mean Robert Browning?"

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Commissioner Appointed On Freight Clerks' Pay

OTTAWA, March 31.—W. J. Donovan, K.C., of Winnipeg, has been appointed chairman of the conciliation board, to investigate the dispute between the Canadian National Railways and its clerks, members of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees. The appointment was made by Hon. Peter Heenan, Minister of Labor, when the other members of the board, Howard S. Ross, K.C., of Montreal, for the employees, and Peter White, K.C., of Toronto, for the company, failed to agree on a chairman. Approximately 15,000 employees are affected.

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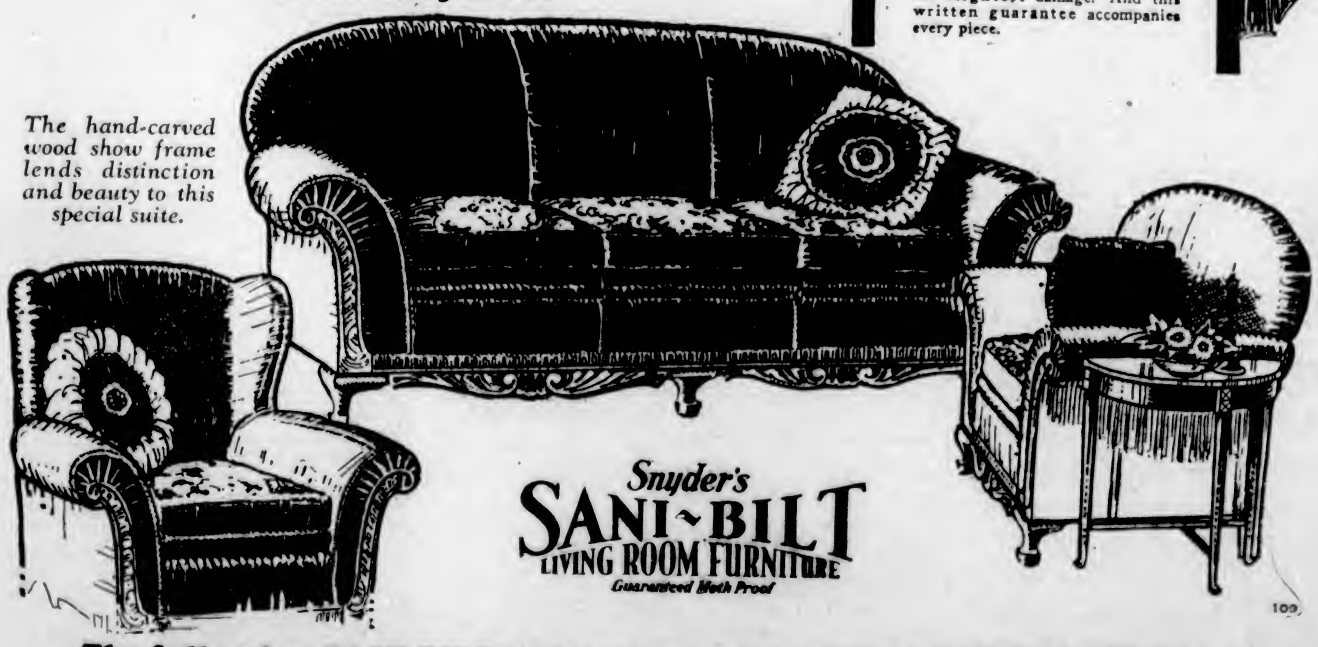

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1 BIRTHS

HOLMES—To Philippa, the wife of Major Cuthbert Holmes, late Irish Guards, a daughter, on March 30, 1927, at Victoria, B.C.

2 DEATHS

McCOY—On March 30, at 2418 Florence Street, William Robert McCoy, aged seventeen years; born in Carnlough, County Antrim, Ireland, and a resident of this city for the past seven years. Deceased is survived by his father, Mr. William Robert McCoy, and sister, Miss Ena McCoy, in Ireland; his grandmother and uncle, Mr. R. J. McCutcheon, of Victoria, and an aunt, Mrs. Jennings, of New Westminster.

The funeral will take place this afternoon, April 1, the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 2:15 o'clock, and at 2:30 o'clock service will be held at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, by the Rev. A. E. Nunns. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

WALKER—At the residence of his daughter, Mrs. N. F. Ferris, 1284 Beach Drive, George W. Walker, L.D.S., in his eighty-ninth year. He was born in Belleville, Ont., of U. E. Loyalist descent, and leaves, besides his widow, one daughter, Mrs. N. F. Ferris, and one son, George C. J. Walker, L.D.S., of Dauphin, Manitoba; eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co. today at 3 p.m., proceeding to St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill, where services will be held at 3.30.

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BIG dance and three games of basketball at Keating Temperance Hall, Friday, April 1. Basketball at 8 p.m. Dancing at 10.45. Refreshments. Ron Smith's orchestra. Admission 55c.

DANCE, Naval Barracks, Friday, April 1, 8 o'clock. Ladies 25c, gents 50c. Everybody welcome.

HOME-cooking sale in front basement of David Spencer's, Ltd., by Burnside Ladies' Bowling Club, Saturday, April 2.

LUXTON Hall dance, Friday, April 1, 9 to 1. Pitt's orchestra. Admission 50c.

POLICE dance at headquarters, Friday, April 1. Dancing 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. Gents 50c, ladies 35c. Buffet supper. Art Bishop's orchestra.

RUMMAGE sale, at St. Mary's Hall, Yale St., Oak Bay, at 2:30 p.m., April 2.

SATURDAY, April 2, 8:30 p.m. Eagles' military five hundred and dance, Eagles' Hall, Pandora Avenue and Douglas Street. Good prizes. Admission 25 cents.

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B.C. DRAMATIC School—Elocution, public speaking, dramatic expression. Phone 4301R.

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24C SINGING

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25 DANCING

ADELINE WHITE, teacher of ballroom dancing. The latest steps. Chamber of Commerce Auditorium. Phone 2978L.

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28 DRESSMAKING

AN experienced dressmaker, work by the day. Phone 5730L.

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29 LOST AND FOUND

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LOST—Large white setter dog in vicinity of Parson's Bridge. Reward. Robert Porter & Sons Limited. Phone 1475.

LOST—Lady's diamond ring. Finder kindly phone 8189Y. Reward.

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LOST—Between Spencer's and Dr. Tenner's office, at 4.30, Tuesday afternoon, a grey squirrel neck throw. Finder phone 7701L1. Reward.

LOST—Roll of bills, somewhere in town. Finder please notify Box 4901, Colonist.

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30 TIMBER

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31 MONEY TO LOAN

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32 WANTED TO BORROW

CLIENT wants $600 or $800, first mortgage on 5-room bungalow; 8%. Andrews Realty. Phone 5786.

37 MISCELLANEOUS

ANYTHING in house repairs. Roofs repaired and tarred. Work guaranteed. Estimates free. Phone 7878-5249L.

ALL your trash will bring you cash, such as rags, bottles; also tools, stoves, furniture, or anything else. We call anywhere and pay best prices. Phone 6183.

SAFETY razor blades resharpened. Single edge, 35c; double edge, 55c per dozen. Peden Brothers, 1410 Douglas. Phone 817.

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40 FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

40B CLOTHING, FURS, SHOES, ETC.

COAT, hat, golf jersey and skirt, as new, size 36. Box 5111, Colonist.

40D FURNITURE

A SPECIAL BARGAIN LIST
Mahogany Dining Suites......$150 and $120
Extra good Oak Dining Suite......$120
Oak Dining Sets............$69, $39 and $49
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Chesterfield Suite (never used)......$189
Cabinet Gramophone and Records......$49
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BRITISH FURNITURE MART
745-747 Fort St. Victoria, B.C.
We make your shopping a pleasure.

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40E MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

A CLARIONET, $10; organ, $15; cornet, $50; Ludwig drum case, $10; violin outfit, $15; flute, $8.59. Hickling, 741 Pandora.

40G OFFICE AND STORE EQUIPMENT

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A Double Flat-Top Desk, 5x4 feet.
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Bookkeeper's Desk, 5 feet.
Typewriter Desk.
Nest of Letter File Drawers.
Office Tables and Desk Chairs.
Cheap for Quick Sale.
BRITISH FURNITURE MART
745-747 Fort St. Victoria, B.C.

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YOUNG gooseberry trees, 10c each, $8 per 100; 5-year plum trees, $1 each. Phone 5819R.

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GUARANTEED REBUILT BICYCLES

GENTS
24-in. Rov. Standard, free wheel......$26.75
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Massey, blue sport......$27.50
Massey Boy's Juvenile......$24.85

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FOR Sale—Multnomah acagsew, good as new, $190. Plimley's Garage.

FOR Sale—Rifle, .25 cal., ref., $15; rifle, .32 Special Win., $17.50; shotgun, D.B., 12-gauge, $15.50; prisma glasses, $12.50; marine telescope, $7.50; solid leather suitcase, $3.50; first-class baby buggy, $15.20; outer tires (new), $1.50; boy's bicycle, $11.75; gent's Massey bicycle, $18.75; gold-filled spectacles, $1.75; late style shell-rimmed glasses, $2.75.
AARONSON'S SECOND-HAND STORE
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FOR Sale—9 volumes of "History of the War," illustrated, by The London Times. Phone 2832Y.

FOR Sale—Quantity of wire for berrying. Apply Victoria Junk Agency. Phone 1536.

FOR Sale—Sectional, portable garage, twelve by nineteen. Phone 38771.5.

FOR Sale—Remington portable typewriter, almost new. Phone 1378 or 40801.

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46 WANTED MISCELLANEOUS

A CARPENTER'S bench and garden roller. Phone 517.

ANTIQUE and modern furniture, old silver, china, glass, Sheffield plate, pictures, old coins, stamps and stamp collections. We pay best prices. O'Brien's, 817 Fort St. Phone 7187.

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ABSOLUTELY HIGHEST PRICES PAID for rags, bottles, tools, stoves, furniture, or anything you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere, any time. Phone 6186.

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DON'T hesitate—Phone 6468 if you have any furniture you wish to dispose of. Our representative will call and offer current prices. Island Exchange, 739 Fort St.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS!
FREE dump for clean clay or gravel, N.E. corner Queen's and Douglas. Phone 323.

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PHONE 401 — We buy good discarded clothing, household linens, china, silverware, jewelry. Best prices paid. We call. Shaw & Co., 755 Fort Street.

PHONE 6186—WE PAY BEST PRICES for bottles, rags, tools, stoves, furniture, or anything else you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere, any time. Try us.

RAGS, bottles, sacks, old clothes, junk, etc.; basements cleaned. Phone 5078L.

VICTORIA JUNK AGENCY CO.
We Buy Junk
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WANTED—Child's crib on wheels, in good condition. Box 5167, Colonist.

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WE buy for cash or exchange for new goods, old gold jewelry, solid silverware and diamonds. Apply W. H. Wilkerson, Jeweler, 1510 Douglas.

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ROOM, with good board, for two girls, $35 month. 177 Joseph Street.

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49 FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT

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1555 BLANSHARD STREET
BRIGHT, comfortable modern rooms at reasonable rates. Phone 1518O.

CLOSE IN—Three rooms, furnished, gas, bath, pantry; Belmoral Road; $22.50. Phone 4415L.

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51 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS TO RENT

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51A FURNISHED

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4 ROOMS, fully furnished........$35.00
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L. M. ROSEVEAR
Phone 5900 515 Union Bldg.

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TEN rooms, on Gorge waterfront; garage. Beaumont Boggs & Co., Ltd., 629 Broughton Street, Victoria, B.C.

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6 ROOMS, good location, garage, 1st April. No small children. $75. Phone 1819.

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FOUL BAY ROAD—Comfortable home, consisting of hall, two living-rooms and den, kitchen and pantry downstairs; upstairs, 6 bedrooms and bathroom. Basement, hot air furnace, garage, cement walks; two lots; price $3,676. C. S. Marchant, 111 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 6674.

FAIRFIELD—If you are looking for a real bargain in this district, see this one before you buy. It has five rooms, all on one floor, nicely panelled and beam ceiling, buffet, pantry, 2-piece bathroom, basement. Garage. Large lot. Price reduced from $4,000 to only $6,700. Hurry, please.

GORGE—Six-room semi-bungalow, fireplace, cement basement. Two large garden lots, fruit trees, chicken pen; garage. High location. Close to park and car. Price reduced to only $2,620. Real value.

NORTH DOUGLAS—Six-room house, 2-piece bathroom, pantry. Large garden lot, chicken house. Locals all paid. Newly painted inside and out. Listen, price only $1,000. See this, Mr. Renter; it is a bargain. No phone information.

SAM CALVERT
722A Yates Street

A REAL BARGAIN
FULLY MODERN 8-ROOM HOUSE IN OAK BAY

HOUSE is in first-class condition and contains panelled entrance hall, panelled dining-room with fireplace, den or sitting-room with fireplace, big kitchen and pantry, nice bedroom and bathroom on ground floor. Upstairs there are four nice bedrooms with clothes closets and glassed-in sleeping porch. Full basement with new furnace and tubs. Good garage.

LOT 50 BY 120.

This property stands high and commands a fine view of the Straits and mountains. House would cost almost double the price asked to build today.

ONLY $3,129, TERMS

SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE, LTD.
649 Fort Street

MODERN homes are my specialty. See my list when buying and save money. Avery Ravedanor, 124 Pemberton Bldg.

CORDOVA BAY

NOW is the time to purchase a Summer cottage on the waterfront before the holiday season commences. We have two bargains at Cordova Bay:

A 2-ROOM COTTAGE, with 20 feet water-frontage, price $1,350.

¾ ACRE on waterfront, 6-room cottage; good water supply. $1,600 cash takes this one.

Also 10 ACRES, with a 6-room modern bungalow. This place has been exceptionally well cared for. $5,400.

B.C. BOND CORPORATION, LTD.
1600 Government St. Phones 648-249

OAK BAY BUNGALOW of 4 rooms for sale. A cosy home with 2 bedrooms, small hall, nice bright kitchen, sitting-room with open fireplace, dining-room, modern bathroom; cement basement. Good lot. Nice locality, quiet street. This home is in real good condition. Owner is leaving city and offers for $6,600, with $600 cash and easy terms for balance.

We have also carefully selected many nice homes of all sizes and in all districts, and feel that it will be to your benefit as a home buyer to allow us to show them to you.

ARTHUR E. HAYNES, LTD.
125 Fort Street

78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

MONEY TO LOAN AT CURRENT RATES

We Have Extensive Listings of
SMALL AND SPACIOUS HOMES, IMPROVED FARMS, FRUIT LANDS, BUSINESS PROPERTY, ETC.

WATERFRONT PROPERTIES

LANGFORD LAKE—16 acres with 4-room bungalow, containing bathroom, basement, garage, etc. Portion of land is cleared, balance light brush; good soil. Waterfrontage is excellent and very nicely treed. PRICE $2,200. CONVENIENT TERMS.

GOOD FISHING SPOT

SAANICH ARM, on the Malahat side, almost opposite Mackenzie Bay—12½ acres with 4-room cottage, with splendid supply of water. Now this spot may be rightly called a "Salt Water Fishermen's Paradise." Grilse run in abundance, also salmon. Would make an ideal Summer home and a Winter retreat for hunting. We offer this for only $3,600. CONVENIENT TERMS.

ANOTHER SECLUSIVE SPOT

GLEN LAKE—3.22 acres, facing south, and "facing south" means plenty of sun. We will dispose of this for $800. CONVENIENT TERMS.

SOOKE HARBOR

THREE ACRES, with four-room dwelling. One acre cleared. Fifteen minutes from store, etc. Water laid on. PRICE $1,050. CONVENIENT TERMS.

CORDOVA BAY

VERY LARGE LOT, with 4-room cottage, on the best part of Cordova Bay. Water laid on. Beautiful sandy beach. If you're looking for a Summer place, we advise your buying this now. Price only $2,200. CONVENIENT TERMS.

B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY, LTD.
Homes—Lots—Acreage—Farms
922 Government Street. Phone 125

SNAP—CLOSE TO CITY
FACING CENTRAL PARK
PRICE $2,000

OLD COUNTRY CLIENT authorizes us to offer this modern bungalow at one-half its cost in order to effect a quick turnover. The home contains large hall, with open fireplace; living-room with open fireplace; dining-room, kitchen and pantry; two bedrooms, bathroom; basement. Garage. Lot 40 ft. by 120 ft. Moderate taxes. Clear title. Terms to arrange.

P. R. BROWN & SONS, LTD.
1112 Broad Street Phone 1972

OAK BAY—Comfortable 6-room bungalow with entrance hall, dining and living-rooms, kitchen, three nice bedrooms, pantry, furnace heating. Basement and garage have cement floors. Woodshed. This home is situated in nice part of Oak Bay, and owner might consider smaller house in part trade. Price $3,100; reasonable terms.

ROBT. MACNICOL & CO.
Phone 2479 274 Yates Street
We solicit listings in Oak Bay, Fairfield and Saanich

PICTURE THIS BUNGALOW, 1½ blocks from the sea. A charming home of five rooms and sunroom, in Fairfield; absolutely ready for occupation and yours for $4,600 cash or terms. R. G. Christy & Co., Ltd., 236 Fort Street, are my exclusive agents. So see them at once if you wish to secure this bargain.

PARKDALE—Six-room house, entrance hall, living and dining-room, kitchen, pantry, two bedrooms, basement, cement foundation. Fruit trees, chicken house. Taxes $6.50. Price $1,100; $220 cash, balance rent.

BURNSIDE—Six-room bungalow, beamed ceilings, panelled walls, fireplace, 2-piece bathroom. Overlooking the water, and stands in a setting of beautiful trees on one-half acre. $4,600, easy terms.

J. A. BARRON & CO.
727 Fort Street Phone 2784

SUBURBAN RESIDENCE

SITUATE on a commanding site, about 2½ miles out, with views of sea, mountains and hills, this 10-roomed residence offers seclusion combined with nearness to the city's attractions, plus all the modern conveniences. A vestibule leads to a large living-room with fireplace, library with fireplace, den with fireplace and dining-room with fireplace, pantry and kitchen. On this floor there are three bedrooms, with closets, and bathroom. Upstairs there are three bedrooms and another bathroom. The basement, with its hot water heating plant, also contains servant's room, fruit and laundry-rooms, and car storage. A fine garden, comprising 1 2-3 acres, with tennis court, is filled with shrubs, trees, roses and perennials, all in very good shape. Owing to owner's death, we can offer this at $12,000.

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY
Belmont House Victoria

SMALL house of two rooms. Two nice lots, in garden. Maddock Street. Furniture. Price $400. Beaumont Boggs & Co., Ltd., 620 Broughton Street, Victoria, B.C.

SPLENDID FOUR-ROOMED HOUSE on lot 60x126; garage and chicken house. On 2-mile circle.

PRICE $1000
$100 cash will handle this.

WISE & CO., LTD.
Phone 2641 109 Pemberton Bldg.

THIS is an Excellent Buy—On one of Oak Bay's best streets. Ten-roomed modern residence; three bedrooms and bathroom upstairs; large bedroom, with fireplace, and bathroom en suite, downstairs. Large living-room, dining-room and den with fireplaces; hardwood floor, hot water heat; all like new. Garage; 76-ft. frontage. Only $8,200. Bagshawe & Co.

BEAUTIFUL EIGHT-ROOMED HOME BARGAIN

THIS house stands on two exceptionally large lots, with tennis court, lawn, and garden of small and large fruits and studded with oaks and ornamental trees. The house itself has living-room, dining-room, den and reception hall, all with hardwood floors; open fireplace in living-room and den. Full-sized cement basement with furnace, laundry tubs and extra toilet. For full particulars phone us.

FAIRFIELD BUNGALOW

SIX ROOMS; large living-room with open fireplace and hardwood floor. French doors lead into a very pretty dining-room with hardwood floor. Dutch kitchen with breakfast nook and plenty of built-in cupboards and bins. There are three good bedrooms with closets, separate toilet, bathroom with tiled floor and latest modern fixtures. There are many features about this lovely little home that will appeal to a buyer. It is practically new, and has very fine electric fixtures, large windows, garage, beautiful location, and can be inspected any time. Immediate possession can be given. For price, etc., phone

GILLESPIE, HART & TODD, LTD.
811 Fort Street Phones 2040-2041
Victoria, B.C.

WELL-SITUATED five-roomed house, standing in 19.22 acres of good land, part of which in good black soil, well suited to bulb, seed growing, or chicken farm, with an ever-running stream on property. Barn, stable, etc., all in excellent order. Close to station, stores, church, postoffice, Badminton clubs. Price reduced to $3,760. This is a first-rate buy.

C. WALLICH
Real Estate and Insurance
Cowichan Station E. & N. Rly.

$1200—ON very easy terms—for a bungalow in the Gorge District; 3 rooms, bath and pantry; fully furnished; splendid range; good garden partly planted; garden tools and lawn mower; garage and poultry house.

$1800—PRETTY 4-room bungalow, with 3-piece bathroom, pantry, sewing-room and large veranda; in beautiful condition, inside and out, new garage and tastefully laid out garden. Terms, or a generous reduction for cash.

F. F. HIGGS 208 Pemberton Bldg.

78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

PEMBERTON & SON

OAK BAY
A First-Class Residential District, With Low Taxes
WE OFFER

SEVEN ROOMS, stucco, on a well-treed acre. House contains drawing-room, dining-room, den and three bedrooms, with the usual offices. This is an attractive home and is not far from the waterfront. Price $9000

WE HAVE PRICES ON ALL LOTS IN UPLANDS

FIVE-ROOM, fully modern bungalow; hardwood floors, and practically new. Very pretty. Drawing-room and dining-room; furnace and garage. Price $7500

UNDER CONSTRUCTION

SIX ROOMS, situated on two lots, with oak trees, hardwood floor; three bedrooms; garage, and room for a nice garden and kitchen garden. The price of $8,600 is exceptionally low, and we recommend this house very highly. We have an exclusive agency of this house.

ALSO UNDER CONSTRUCTION

A MOST ARTISTIC FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, splendidly located, with a fine vista; high and dry; fully modern; stucco finish. The garden will be well laid out and the place will make a most attractive home. We advise the purchase of Oak Bay property, either as an investment or for future use. Values are working to a higher level.

FAIRFIELD

MARLBOROUGH STREET. Recently built five-roomed stucco house, in splendid condition, oak floors, hot water heating. All rooms well planned and beautifully finished. Built-in bookcases, buffets, panelled walls, beam ceiling. Exceptionally good baths and toilets. Large attic and basement. Owner leaving city. Price $7,500, which is much below real value.

COOK STREET. A well-built nine-roomed house, facing Beacon Hill Park. Fine entrance hall and reception-rooms; four good bedrooms and sleeping porch; basement and furnace. Garage. Large lot and attractive garden. Price $7000

JOSEPH STREET. A fine six-roomed house in A1 condition, facing south. Excellent bedrooms, pass pantry; fireplace in panelled dining-room, built-in bookcases; good basement and furnace. Garage. Excellent views of sea and mountains. Close to car line and beach. Price $4,500, includes laundry tubs, electric fittings and linoleums.

BEECHWOOD AVENUE. A good five-roomed house, basement, pipeless furnace. Garage. Fine lot. Convenient to car line and beach.
Price $3675

PEMBERTON & SON
626 Fort St. Victoria, B.C. Phone 682

MUST BE SOLD

WE have an 8-room house in Fairfield, FULLY FURNISHED, which is being practically given away. Oak floors in dining, living-room and hall; fireplaces in living-room and den; full concrete basement with laundry trays and extra toilet; hot air furnace and gas, good garage. There is a mortgage of $6,600, which can be assumed. How much cash will you offer over the mortgage?

J. A. WALKER & CO., LTD.
630 Fort Street Phone 1462

Newbury Road, Portage Inlet waterfront, 4 rooms, with open fireplace; cowshed and chicken house. Lot 109x226, all in fruit and berries, splendid soil.
Terms $1,200, or cash $1300

In one of the best districts in town, a five-roomed bungalow, with open fireplace and all built-in features possible; concrete basement with hot air furnace; garage. Nice lot in town. This is a real bargain and we shall be pleased to show same.
On very easy terms $2350

COOK STREET, near Quadra, a very pretty bungalow of 6 rooms, bath and pantry, on two lots in fruit and shade trees. One of the nicest homes in Victoria $2950

GORGE ROAD—A large house in beautiful grounds. House in splendid condition, cost the owner about $12,000.
Sacrifice at $4800

PEMBERTON & SON
625 Fort St. Phone 262

$1250
FAIRFIELD HOME

PARTLY completed small home of five rooms, in good location. Nice lot, facing south. Built on concrete foundation. It needs stuccoing and plastering inside, but is quite comfortable in present condition and could be completed at purchaser's leisure. A chance to acquire a home at a reasonable price.

$850
HOUSE AND GARAGE

OWNER leaving city at once wishes to sell a four-roomed home, on nice garden lot with fruit trees, chicken house and garage. Excellent bathroom fixtures. Complete. Place rents for $14 per month and is a good investment.

$3250
$700 Cash, Balance Monthly

REALLY good modern home, on high part Fernwood Hill. Living-room, dining-room, kitchen, breakfast-room, sewing-room, good bath fixtures, four bedrooms; cement basement, furnace. House is in good shape throughout. Would make good boarding house for Normal students.

HEISTERMAN, FORMAN & CO.
262 View Street Phone 55

GOOD HOME BUYS

$2500—FAMILY home of eight rooms, on close-in corner. Once very valuable and will be again.

$4200—OAK BAY stucco of five rooms, on two nice view lots. $1,000 cash.

$700—FIVE-ROOM house with garage, just off North Douglas. $150 cash.

$3800—SEVEN-ROOM stone house with bath and full basement. Barn and poultry house. Almost an acre. Just outside city. Half cash.

ALDER & SONS, LIMITED
Phone 2912 215 Broughton Street

CADBORO BAY BUNGALOW DE LUXE

¾ ACRE, in Springtime a mass of flowers, fruit, green lawns, shrubbery and arbours. 20 mixed bearing fruit trees; all kinds small fruits. Exquisite bungalow, fully modern, strongly built, splendid bathroom fittings; 7-ft. full cement basement; interior woodwork well finished, granite fireplaces in fine living-room and in a bedroom and in the sunroom (a wonderful room overlooking the bay); 6 bedrooms. Artistic garage and 2 chicken houses for 500 birds. Tennis court. A sunny, healthy situation. School, store, golf links and bus line handy. THE GREATEST BARGAIN IN CADBORO BAY at

$4000

VICTORIA REALTY CO.
616 View Street Phone 5938
"RELIABLE REALTORS"

OAK BAY

$5200—NEW STUCCO FIVE-ROOMED BUNGALOW, on one of the best streets, south of the Avenue. Spacious sitting-room, dining-room, kitchen with breakfast alcove, electric range, etc. Price inclusive of range, blinds and linoleum. Taxes $40.

This home is worthy your consideration.

ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO., LTD.
Real Estate, Insurance and Investment Agents
1210 Broad Street Phone 2269

$3000—FAIRFIELD bungalow, half block from sea. Has five large rooms, entrance hall, built-in features, cement basement, furnace and wash tubs; cement walks. An attractive home on reasonable terms.

ELK LAKE—Five acres good land, nicely treed and easy clearing. High situation, between lake and sea, with sea view. Price only $1,000.

J. R. LIVSEY
204 Sayward Block Telephone 664

78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

SPECIALS

$1000—FOUR-ROOMED house, half concrete basement, concrete sidewalks, garage. Good garden, lot 40x190, with 10 bearing fruit trees, also poultry house. There is a splendid enamel bath and toilet, hot and cold water and electric light. Situated within half block of car line. This is not a shack but a good-looking house, perfectly clean, and one that you might be proud of.

$2650—MODERN five-roomed bungalow with full cement basement and furnace, on a view lot with garage. This house is of attractive design and in perfect condition throughout, with entrance hall with cloak closet; living-room and dining-room en suite, with buffet and open fireplace with oak overmantel. Two bedrooms, finished in enamel; cabinet kitchen and 3-piece bathroom. Seldom is there an opportunity of this kind offered. Terms can be arranged.

LAKESIDE SUMMER COTTAGE

$1000—LARGE bungalow of four rooms, with large front porch, overlooking the lake. About half acre of land, treed. Two good rowboats and launch, with boathouse and landing. Included with the property there is some furniture. If you are looking for a Summer house on the lake, where the family can enjoy a real holiday, see us for information.

BRETT & KER, LIMITED
Real Estate, Insurance and Financial Agents
Corner Government and View Streets
Phone 132

ANDREWS' SNAPS

$2750—SNAPPY new stucco bungalow, four rooms, cement basement, furnace. Deep lot with fine oaks. Splendid locality. Clear title. $400 cash, balance to suit.

$3300—2646 BLACKWOOD AVENUE—Attractive five-room bungalow, garage. Absentee owner wants best offer. A healthy locality, with a fine view.

$6000 — WATERFRONTAGE — New 7-room stucco bungalow, two large granite fireplaces, French doors, polished floors, all built-in effects. Lot 22½ by 420 feet. Look this over.

704 B.C. Perm. Loan Bldg. Phone 2786

FAIRFIELD

$4500 WILL buy one of the best built and best conditioned bungalows in this choice residential district. There are five large rooms, furnace and double garage; lawn and shrubbery. If you are in the market, see this before you decide.

THE CITY BROKERAGE
(A. T. Abbey, Mgr.)
268 View Street Phone 215

$2950—FINE 7-room house, modern, with all built-in effects, cement basement, furnace. 6½ lots, fruit trees, chicken house and garage. Reduced for quick sale from $3,750 and is a genuine snap.

$2600—JAMES BAY, near park. Attractive 6-room bungalow, garage. Nice lot.

T. B. MONK & CO.
Arcade Bldg., 612 View St. Phone 1970

$1350—THREE rooms, pantry; two lots, fenced, bulbs, roses and fruit trees.

$1100—THREE rooms, pantry; one lot. Modern. Car terminus, Hillside.

$1200—FOUR rooms, every convenience; garage; three lots, fenced. Cloverdale.

$4000—TEN rooms, fully modern; garage; situated on Yates St., City.

PATTERSON REALTY 666 Yates

79 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

BUNGALOW; five rooms. A snap. Give particulars fully. Box 2946, Colonist.

MODERN five-room bungalow, on or near Linden, near the sea. Box 6146, Colonist.

WANTED to purchase—Six-roomed bungalow, Fairfield or James Bay, not to cost over $4,900. Apply Box 2166, Colonist.

WANTED—A five-room bungalow, in Quadra Street district. Must be in good repair and modern, about $4,000. Will pay $400 cash and balance fifty dollars per month. Address Box 9166, Colonist.

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

A GOOD section of vacant property and acreage in Victoria and vicinity, at lowest prices. See the Royal Trust Company, Belmont House, Victoria.

BUILD your home amid the oaks on charming Craigdarroch Road. We offer choice lots near Joan Crescent very cheap and on easy terms. Avery Ravedanor, 124 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 1239.

FOR Sale, cheap—A lot on Ruby Road, Gordon Head. Apply John Lewis, R.M.D. 4, Arbutus Avenue.

ATTRACTIVE BUILDING LOT IN OAK BAY

NORTHWEST corner of St. Louis and McNeill. 119 feet on St. Louis and 22 feet 2 inches on McNeill.

PRICE $600
Terms Arranged.

R. P. CLARK & CO., LTD.
Corner of Broad and View Streets

$1000 OPPORTUNITY. Two business lots in Oak Bay—Lots 1 and 2, Block 6, corner Estevan and Dunlevy Street; look them over, then make your own terms. 16.17 acres, A1 land, on main road, Patricia Bay; perfect marine view; 8 acres ready for crop; only $3,900, worth double. Owner, E. G. Rodell, 3252 Heath Drive. Leaving city.

85E ESQUIMALT

THE best commercial waterfront site at Esquimalt car line terminus for sale cheap. Leaving city. Brentwood Grill, Victoria.

83 ACREAGE FOR RENT

TWO acres, splendid soil, close in. Phone 5211R1.

12 ACRES, 4-room bungalow and other buildings, $12 per month. F. F. Higgs, 206 Pemberton Bldg.

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE

ACREAGE—1,360 acres at $10.60 per acre. Alfred Carmichael & Co., Limited, 1210 Broad Street. Phone 2690.

BULBS, LARGE AND SMALL FRUITS. Seven acres improved land, the finest soil in the district. A live, producing proposition, close to Royal Oak. Sacrificing at $2,600. Absolutely the best bargain on the market. Exclusively by R. G. Christy & Co., Ltd., 626 Fort Street, Victoria.

$800—NORTH SAANICH—$800

FINE residential site of an acre and three-quarters, overlooking sea and mountains.
SPARLING
At Deep Cove Tel. Sidney 103Y

PRE-EMPTIONS—Can locate several good claims in Lillooet district, close to railroad. Good soil, splendid sheep and cattle country. Apply Locators, 302 Central Bldg.

SIX acres. Choice location in heart of GORDON HEAD DISTRICT. All intensively cultivated, over one-half in selected small fruits. Good bungalow. City light and water. Owner says SACRIFICE; $6,200, terms.

L. M. ROSEVEAR
Successor to Harry Amphlett
Phone 5999 312 Union Bldg.

$1000—VERY beautiful half acre of waterfront on Constance Avenue, nicely treed. Very good homes.

HALF ACRE lovely beach, in a nice bay, beautifully treed. Nearly three-quarters of an acre adjoining, with lovely beach. The two would make one of the choicest home sites on Vancouver Island waterfront. Price for the two, $2,290.

Wallace—V.I. REALTY CO.—Archer
1239 Broad Street Phone 1746

1¼ ACRES, Verdier Avenue, overlooking Saanich Inlet. Two-room shack; well fenced. $900 cash. Box 6179, Colonist.

$3,000—Must be sold immediately. 4½ acres, waterfront on Langford Lake, with a charming 4-room modern bungalow, with water laid on. All nice large plastered rooms, with a fine fireplace in the sitting-room. Furnished and ready to occupy. Much below value. Terms arranged. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

5 ACRES and 5-roomed bungalow, price $6,000. 3½ acres and brand new six-roomed house, $4,000. 3-acre chicken farm and 3 rooms, bath and toilet, price $2,600. 6 acres and 4 rooms, bath and toilet, furniture and stock, price $6,600. 2-acre chicken farm and 4 rooms, modern, price $4,200. 10 acres, all black muck, 9 acres cleared, and buildings, price $4,200. 10 acres, 6 cleared, price $2,700. 9 acres, Metchosin, 2 cleared, price $950.

CROSS & CO.
Belmont House Opposite [illegible]

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE (Continued)

SEAFRONTAGE HOME

1½ ACRES, MOSTLY CLEARED, except for SHADE ARBUTUS. Small cottage, lined with cottonwood. Woodshed, toolshed, chicken house, sleeping cabin, boathouse, 5,000-gallon rainwater tank, as well as well supply. Bearing fruits, small fruits, herbaceous borders and shrubberies. MOST BEAUTIFUL SITUATION. Good soil and well fenced. Half cash if possible $4000

EXCELLENT POULTRY PROPOSITION

3 ACRES, MORE OR LESS, DELIGHTFULLY SITUATED AMONGST SHADE OAKS. 1½ of good black cleared soil. A modern 4-roomed plastered bungalow, 3-piece bathroom, open fireplace, city water, electric light and phone. Brooder house, feedhouse, very latest design chicken houses for 850 birds. This property is for sale for one month only, and considerable poultry equipment is included at this price. Easy terms $5500

FRUIT AND DAIRY FARM

12 ACRES, more or less, about 5½ miles from Victoria, practically on Island Highway. About 6 acres of black soil, cleared. Never-failing stream. CITY WATER AND PHONE. Small five-roomed house, with SEA VIEW. Barn for 8 head, root cellar, two garages, CHICKEN HOUSES FOR 200, brooder house. Two-roomed cottage. STAGE AND SCHOOL BUS THREE MINUTES AWAY. Taxes about $36. Terms easy $7500

A GENTLEMAN'S HOME

Beautiful Situation on Seafront

4½ ACRES, of which 1½ acres are cultivated, fruit trees and small fruits. Good soil, balance in alder trees. Excellent water supply, pumped to house by ram.

Five-roomed modern bungalow, on a stone foundation, with cement basement, is in very good condition. Every convenience, including electric light and telephone. Other buildings are also in good shape. Summer cottage, boathouse, barn, poultry house and garage.

This property is conveniently located on the Island Highway, with transportation four times daily.

PRICE $4300

PEMBERTON & SON
625 Fort St. Victoria, B.C. Phone 283

85 FARMS FOR SALE

WILL STAND THE CLOSEST INVESTIGATION

A WONDERFUL FARM IN THE COWICHAN DISTRICT. 300 acres, more than 200 under cultivation in hay and grain, balance partly cleared, first-class pasture; all the very best alluvial soil, without a stone on it. Naturally drained. Land can be ploughed throughout the Winter months; and the soil never drys out in Summer. The aftermath will fatten off a large flock of sheep. Orchard of 10 acres bearing, 5 acres in small fruits, ½ acre in asparagus, 2 acres in strawberries. Two dwelling houses, 2 barns (100x50 each), 3 or 7 poultry houses. $2,500 net was made out of the poultry alone last year. Full particulars as to income, etc., and price from the agents.

ROBERT GRUBB & CO.
1112 Government St. Victoria, B.C.

GOOD INCOME

60 ACRES; 30 cleared and 10 slashed. Well situated, two miles from a town. ONE ACRE BLACK CURRANTS, ONE ACRE RASPBERRIES, ONE AND A HALF ACRES TREE FRUITS. Municipal water. $500 cash, balance easy terms, in all $2000

PEMBERTON & SON
625 Fort St. Established 1887. Phone 888

$3,425—Four acres, Albert Head. Good mixed orchard; poultry houses for 500 birds. Nice four-room house, with water laid on. Furniture, crockery, farm and garden tools, brooder and poultry equipment included in the above absurdly low price. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

86 FARMS FOR RENT

FARM TO RENT ON LEASE

8 ACRES, Keating district. Finest soil throughout, fenced, mostly cleared, 2 acres in small fruit. Good house of four rooms. Barn for 10 head, various outbuildings. Good water, elec. light. Close to school. With furniture, tools, cow, horse, $35 a month.

PEMBERTON & SON
Phone 283 Fort Street

87 FARMS WANTED

FARM LANDS. If you have raw or improved farm land in Saskatchewan to sell, write to L. B. Henn, Dinsmore, Saskatchewan.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Ethel May Hutchinson, formerly of Arlington, in the County of Riverside, State of California, U.S.A., and late of Cadboro Bay, Saanich, in the Province of British Columbia, Widow, who died at Cadboro Bay aforesaid, on the 1st day of November, A.D. 1926, are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims to The Royal Trust Company, the Executor of the last will of the said Ethel May Hutchinson, deceased, at its office, Belmont House, 801 Government Street, in the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, on or before the 30th day of April, A.D. 1927, after which date the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said Executor has then had notice; and the said Executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose claim the said Executor has not had notice at the time of distribution.

Dated this 7th day of March, A.D. 1927.
ALEX. MACLEAN,
Solicitor for the said Executor.
203-4 Hibben-Bone Bldg., Victoria, B.C.

LAND REGISTRY ACT
Section 160

In the Matter of the South 40 Feet of Lot Fifty-Four (54) of Section Seventy-Six (76), Victoria City, Map 270

PROOF having been filed in my office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 54757-I to the above-mentioned land in the name of John Wesley Bristol, and bearing date the 16th day of November, 1916, I hereby give notice of my intention, at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof, to issue to the said John Wesley Bristol a Provisional Certificate of Title in lieu of such lost Certificate.

Any person having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C., this 17th day of March, 1927.
H. J. CRANE, Registrar,
Victoria Land Registration District.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia
In the Matter of the Estate of Hunter Jack, Deceased, and
In the Matter of the "Administration Act"

NOTICE is hereby given that under an order granted by the Honorable Mr. Justice Morrison, dated the 18th day of March, A.D. 1927, I, the undersigned, was appointed Administrator of the Estate of the above named Deceased. All parties having claims against the said Estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 30th day of April, A.D. 1927, and all parties indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 28th day of March, A.D. 1927.
R. L. COX,
Official Administrator.

Bank Clearings

WINNIPEG, March 31.—Following are the bank clearings for the principal cities of the Dominion of Canada for the week ending today, as compared with the corresponding period a year ago:

	1927	1926
Brantford	$ 950,209	$
Calgary	9,466,226	8,618,478
Edmonton	4,070,007	5,526,404
Chatham	874,510	402,639
Fort William	881,855	446,788
Halifax	2,412,440	3,500,852
Hamilton	6,727,601	4,202,080
Kingston	656,276	600,840
Kitchener	900,670	889,656
Lethbridge	437,366	460,154
London	2,686,984	3,142,872
Medicine Hat	236,673	236,287
Moncton	986,104	764,082
Montreal	134,632,780	35,460,580
Moose Jaw	847,820	852,216
New Westminster	664,170	684,062
Ottawa	4,821,420	5,618,042
Peterboro	699,263	862,849
Prince Albert	326,143	389,366
Quebec	5,860,550	4,576,378
Regina	3,216,000	3,575,860
St. John	2,440,843	2,349,247
Sarnia	440,890	331,308
Saskatoon	1,863,721	1,570,654
Sherbrooke	726,682	780,184
Toronto	102,182,082	83,841,021
Vancouver	14,847,341	16,786,426
Victoria	1,767,809	1,906,190
Windsor	4,606,221	5,166,110
Winnipeg	39,322,232	35,342,362

Winnipeg Grain Letter

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, March 31. — The wheat market was extremely dull with very little of anything going on. Prices were about unchanged and held within a narrow range without, finally closing 3-8c up to unchanged. There was no evidence of any exports and seaboard confirmed very small sales overnight. Offerings were light and these were taken by commission houses. Further rains over the Winter belt served to continue ideal conditions in most important areas. Trade generally is inclined to await the crop reports due tomorrow on Winter wheat. Last year these experts estimated the condition at about 86 per cent and they called it from 540 to 589 million yield and final figures for the crop were 626,000,000 bushels. A more favorable report is expected tomorrow, but has ben largely discounted by the recent decline in prices, Chicago May wheat now being at a discount of fully 6 1-2 cents under Winnipeg. Local cash market was quiet with little interest being shown. Shippers were bidding for small lots of 4 and 5 wheat for opening of navigation, but little came out. There was nothing of overnight exports reported and mills were out of the market. Spreads unchanged. The Sanford Evans statistical service makes Canadian exportable surplus of March 25 126,403,194 bushels, based on Government estimate of last year's crop yield and includes a balance in farmers hands to market of 27,500,000 bushels. Further business in export seems essential to stimulate the market.

Coarse Grains—Oats and barley were dull with prices some easier, but firmed up in the late trade to close about unchanged. There was a fair demand for rye with some export business working and final figures were 1 1-4 to 2 1-4 cents up.

Flax—Very little feature to market. Closing figures 1-4 cent up to 1-4 cent lower.

Chicago Grain

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, March 31. — Wheat trade was quiet and mostly by way of evening-up for the private crop condition estimates due to be issued early tomorrow. There was nothing of a vigorous nature in the general run of news and prices held within a narrow range. Cash trading basis was steady to 1-2c better. Estimated exports of 300,000 bushels, mostly domestic wheat. Weather map showed beneficial rains over most of the Winter wheat belt. Crop advices were cheerful and the forecast promised more rain with moderate temperatures.

Corn—Locals and holders of privileges checked an early decline and a moderate recovery was made on evening up by shorts. Trade small and easily influenced. Weather unsettled and country offerings to arrive light. Oat prices averaged higher with best figures of the day made shortly before the close.

Liverpool is due to open 3-8d higher Friday.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	133⅝	134¼	133⅝	134
July	126¼	128¼	136¼	126⅞
Sept.	130⅝	127½	126⅝	127
Corn—				
May	71⅝	72⅝	71⅝	73¼
July	76⅝	77½	76½	77
Sept.	78⅝	80½	78⅝	80¼
Oats—				
May	43⅝	44¼	43⅝	44¼
July	43⅞	44½	43⅞	44½
Rye—				
May	101	101⅝	66½	101⅝
July	98⅝	93½	98⅛	89½

British Fiscal Deficit

LONDON, March 31. — Great Britain's fiscal year ended at midnight tonight with a deficit in the neighborhood of $180,000,000.

The exact figures of the deficit issued by the Exchequer are £36,693,794. Advance estimates had placed the deficit at various figures between £20,000,000 and £30,000,000.

Wholesale Row

(Revised March 29, 1927)

Eggs		
Fresh Extras, doz.		.35
Fresh Firsts, doz.		.30
Pullets, Extras, doz.		.26
Butter		
Best, cartons		.44
Prints, No. 2		.41
Dairy solids		.42
Dairy prints		.40
Cheese		
B.C. large, lb.		.21
B.C. Twins, lb.		.21½
B.C. Triplets, lb.		.22
Alberta solids, lb.		.23
Alberta Stiltons, lb.		.26
Ontario solids, lb., new		.22
Ontario Twins, lb.		.22½
Ontario Triplets, lb., new, .25½; matured		.35½
Ontario Stiltons, Sept. make, lb.		.35½
Lard		
Pure Lard—Tierces basis, per lb.		.19½
Compound—Tierces basis, per lb.		.15½
MEAT		
Beef, No. 1 Steers		.14½
Beef, No. 1 Cows		.13
Lamb		.26
Lard	.17½	.20
Veal	.12	.22
Bacon	.35	.44
Mutton		.20
Hams	.32	.36
Chickens	.30	.40
Fowl	.25	.35
Pork		.20
SUGAR		
B.C. Refinery—		
White, per hundred		6.30
Yellow, per hundred		6.42

FEED

	100 lbs.	Per Ton
Barley	$2.30	$44.00
Gr. Barley	2.40	46.00
Corn	2.60	50.05
Cracked Corn	2.70	55.00
Feed Cornmeal	2.70	52.00
Oats	2.40	44.50
Oats, ground	2.60	42.05
Scratch Food	2.60	42.00
Poultry Mash	2.60	50.00
Marvel Egg Mash	2.70	52.00

FLOUR

		Per Sk 49 lbs.
Snowflake		$2.35
Purity		2.55
B. & K. Flour		2.55
Five Roses		2.05
Maple Leaf		2.50
Royal Standard		2.51
Royal Household		2.55
B. & K. Pastry		2.45
Whole Wheat		2.05
Quaker Flour, per bbl.	$10.25	

Vegetables		
Beets, new, per sack		2.00
Cabbage, per lb.	.04½	.05
Carrots, new, per sack		2.00
Cauliflower, doz.	2.25	2.75
Celery, imported, doz.	1.50	2.55
Lettuce, head, Cal.		4.25
Onions		4.50
Potatoes, dry belt, Gems, sack		1.50
Turnips, per sack		2.00
Fruits		
Apples—		
O.K. Newtons	2.50	2.65
Winesaps	2.00	2.75
McIntosh Reds		2.25
Spits	2.50	2.25
Delicious		2.75
Wagner	2.25	2.00
Rome Beauty		1.85
Bananas, uncrated		.10
Bananas, crated		.11
Cocoanuts, doz.		1.50
Grapefruit, Florida	7.00	6.00
Grapefruit, Cal.	5.50	6.52
Grapefruit, Imperial Valley		6.50
Lemons, case		5.75
Oranges—Navels	5.05	5.12
Seedlings	5.02	5.35

Retail Prices

(Revised March 29, 1927)

Eggs		
B.C. Firsts, Extras, doz.		.32
B.C. Firsts, doz.		.30
Pullets		.22
Vegetables		
Fresh Green Peas, per lb.		.35
Local Hothouse Tomatoes, per lb.		.10
New Potatoes, 10 lbs. for		.50
Carrots, 5 lbs. for		.30
Artichokes, Globe, each		.20
Cabbage, local, lb.		.02
Cauliflower, each	.25, .15	.10
Celery, head		.15
Egg Plant, lb.		.25
Onions, pickling, 4 lbs. for		.25
Green Spring Onions, bunch		.10
Parsley, bunch		.04
Lettuce, per head		.10
Lettuce, hothouse, leaf, head		.00
Local Onions, 9 lbs. for		.25
Spanish Onions, 3 lbs.		.25
Leeks, bunch		.05
Potatoes, local, per sack	2.00	1.00
Ashcroft Potatoes		2.50
Netted Gems, per sack		2.25
Potatoes, sweet, 3 lbs. for		.50
Spinach		.15
Turnips, local, 10 lbs. for		.25
Vegetable Marrow, lb.		.08
Fresh Cucumbers, each	.40 and	.50
Fruits		
Okanagan Apples—		
Jonathan, box		2.50
McIntosh Red, box	2.75	1.80
Snow, box		2.70
Delicious, box		3.25
Wagner, box		3.25
Winesaps, box		2.75
Spitzenburg, box		2.20
Roman Beauty, box		2.75
Local Apples	1.75, 2.00,	1.00
Bananas, doz.	.50 and	.60
Florida Grapefruit, each	.25	.20
Figs, Cal., layer, 8-oz. pkts.		.10
Per lb.	.35	.55
Lemons, doz.	.30	.55
Oranges, new, Navel, doz., .50, .63, .60		.70
Blood Oranges		.25
Jap Oranges, box		.50
Filbert Nuts, local, per lb.		.30
Raisins, Spanish Cluster, pkg.	.50,	.65
Cocoanuts, each		.20
Rhubarb		.20
Fish		
Bloaters, 2 lbs. for		.25
Cod, per lb.		.25
Cod Fillets, lb.		.20
Black Cod, per lb.		.15
Halibut, per lb.		.30
Soles, lb.		.15
Skate, 3 lbs. for		.25
Kippers, per lb.		.15
Finnan Haddies, lb.		.20
Oysters—		
Esquimalt, doz.		.60
Olympia, per pint		.60
Smelts, per lb.		.20
Salmon, red spring		.20
Salmon, white, per lb.		.15
Crabs	.15, .20,	.25
Golden Ray Fillets, per lb.		.25
Eastern Kippers, per lb.		.20
Flounders, per lb.		.10
Fresh Oolichans, 2 lbs.		.20
Flour		
Quaker, per 49-lb. sack		2.40

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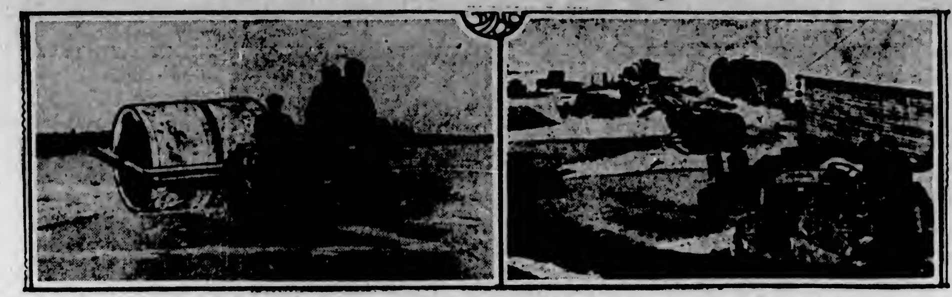
Return of Cold Smooths Journey to Gold Fields



A Return of Cold Weather Has Renewed the Snow Trail From Hudson, Ont., Into the Red Lake Gold Country. To the Upper Left Is the Large Snow Roller Ready to Leave Hudson. It Flattens Down the Snow, Making an Excellent Roadway. To the Upper Right Is Shown the "Howey" Base on the Ice at Hudson. Boilers, Compressors and Other Machinery for the Mine at Red Lake Are Being Loaded on Sleighs. Two Sleighs Already Loaded Can Be Seen Standing on the "Brushed" Trail Leading to Red Lake.

Fire Losses

TORONTO, Ont., March 31.—Fire losses in Canada during the week ended March 30 are estimated by The Monetary Times at $1,017,500, compared with $186,800 the previous week and $1,230,500 the corresponding week of last year.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, March 31.—Closing wheat quotations: Spot and en route, 1 Nor., 143¼; 2 Nor., 139¾; 3 Nor., 127¾; No. 4 wheat, 117¼; No. 5, 105¼; No. 6, 95¼; feed, 79¼; screenings, $11.50 per ton.

Bank Clearings

The clearings for the month ending yesterday were $9,272,728, as compared with $8,431,885 in the corresponding month of 1926. The clearings for the week ending yesterday were $1,767,809, as compared with $1,906,190 in the corresponding week of 1926.

Bureau of Statistics On This Year's Business

OTTAWA, March 31. — Statistics indicate that economic activity in Canada and well maintained during the first quarter of 1927.

It now appears, says the Bureau of Statistics, that the high level attained during the preceding year has been to some extent exceeded. The physical volume of business during January and February was greater than in the corresponding months of 1926, and weekly statistics, such as car loadings and bank clearings indicate that the trend of business is developing favorably. The index of wholesale prices show that the decline in the price level apparent during 1926 was continued, but at a more moderate pace.

"Do you believe in dreams, daddy?" asked Jinks' little son.

"I used to," replied Jinks, "until I married one."

Sapiro Tells of His Activities in Canada

DETROIT, March 31.—Aaron Sapiro, on the stand today in his $1,000,000 libel suit against Henry Ford, had his organizing activities trailed to Canada by Senator James Reed, defence counsel. Sapiro organized Canadian wheat pools and stated that he received $400 from the Farmers' Union of Canada, $1,500 from two newspaper owners of Calgary and Edmonton, while he drew approximately $5,000 from the Saskatchewan wheat producers.

South Africa Enjoys Unexpected Surplus

CAPETOWN, S.A., March 31.—An unexpected surplus was revealed in the budget, introduced in the Assembly yesterday by N. C. Havenga, Minister of Finance.

The surplus amounts to $5,750,000, instead of an expected deficit of $660,000 for the financial year 1926-27.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL VOTES ON BY-LAW

Lord Willingdon Is First Governor-General to Cast Vote at Municipal Poll

For the first time in history the Governor-General of Canada cast a vote at a municipal poll. His Excellency Lord Willingdon, accompanied by Lady Willingdon, went to the poll yesterday and cast his vote on the Oswego Street Property By-Law with other citizens of Victoria.

He was met at the entrance to the Market Building by Mayor J. Carl Pendray and Returning Officer William Scowcroft, who conducted him to the first ballot box of the line. There his name was inscribed as "Freeman Freeman-Thomas" and the ballot was detached. Entering the booth the canvas curtain dropped, hiding him from view for a few minutes, after which he reappeared and walking to the ballot box dropped his vote.

"There, that is the first vote I have ever cast as a freeman. I have not voted in England under the privilege, though I am a freeman of Hastings," said His Excellency.

Their Excellencies then posed for the camera men, after which they shook hands with the polling clerks. Lady Willingdon took a keen interest in the proceedings.

How She Got Rid of Rheumatism

Knowing from terrible experience the suffering caused by rheumatism, Mrs. J. E. Hurst, who lives at 204 Davis Avenue, E 501, Bloomington, Ill., is so thankful at having healed herself that out of pure gratitude she is anxious to tell all other sufferers just how to get rid of their torture by a simple way at home.

Mrs. Hurst has nothing to sell. Merely cut out this notice, mail it to her with your own name and address, and she will gladly send you this valuable information entirely free. Write her at once before you forget. (Advt.)

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Finance and Commerce

STEEL COMMON MAKES NEW HIGH

GENERAL TENDENCY OF MARKET IS DOWNWARD—GENERAL MOTORS SUPPORTED

International Silver Soars—Strength and Wide Fluctuations Feature Bond Market

NEW YORK, March 31.—Establishment of another new high record by United States Steel, common, 167¼, overshadowed all other developments in today's stock market.

Call money held firm at 4½ per cent. Time money and commercial paper rates held steady at 4 per cent.

Lago Oil moved up two points to a new high at 30⅝. Houston and Atlantic Refining also recorded moderate gains.

General Motors received fairly good support on all dips, closing only ¼ lower, at 180⅛. Hudson held up well and the Dodge Brothers issues responded to the publication of an optimistic earnings forecast.

White Motors and Hupp touched new low levels for the year.

International Silver soared 13½ points to a new high at 163, and then eased slightly on profit-taking.

There were several strong spots in the rail group. Rock Island went up over two points to a new high at 91¾, but reacted slightly on realizing. Erie common touched a new high at 49½; Norfolk and Western touched a new top at 181¾ and Texas and Pacific at 69 5-9, but the latter lost all of its gain.

Total sales 2,193,700 shares.

Marked strength characterized today's bond market, with unusually wide price fluctuations. High grade investment mortgages were again in demand, probably in anticipation of continued easy money conditions augured by the month-end distribution of half a billion dollars in dividends.

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Last
Allis Chalmers	55	94-5	54-5
Allied Chem.	142-3	140-5	141-2
Am. Beet Sugar	22-5	22-6	23-5
Am. Bosh. Mag.	16	15	16
Am. Can.	44-5	43-5	44-6
Am. Car & Fdy.	103-4	103-4	103-4
Am. Locomotive	110	109-4	109-4
Am. Smelters	144-2	144	144-6
Am. Steel Fdy.	46-6	45-1	46-2
Am. Sugar	66	82	81
Am. Sum. Tob.	54-4	53-6	53-7
Am. Tel. & Tel.	180-0	160	186-1
Am. Tobacco	125-3	125-6	125-3
Am. Tobacco B.	124-4	124-1	164-1

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 31.—Foreign exchanges irregular. Quotations in cents: France—3.91¼; cables 3.91⅝. Italy—4.61; cables 4.61½. Belgium—16.89. Germany—23.75½. Holland—39.98. Norway—26.01. Sweden—26.77. Denmark—26.65½. Switzerland—19.53½. Spain—17.87. Greece—1.65. Poland—.1145. Czecho-Slovakia—2.96. Austria—.1413⅜. Rumania—.06. Argentine—42.26. Brazil—11.76. Tokio—49.12. Shanghai—66.66. Montreal—100.01 6-16.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 31.—Demand 485 5-16; cables 485 21-32; 60-day bills on banks 481 5-16.

At Victoria

Buying 486⅛; selling 486¼.

Am. Woolens	60-4	19-4	19-4
Anaconda	46-3	46	46
Armour A.	11-5	11-5	11-6
Atlantic Gulf	30-3	30-3	30-6
Atchison	178-4	177-1	178-3
Baldwin Loco.	186	184	185
Baltimore & Ohio	113-7	113-4	116-5
Bethlehem Steel	53	51	52-7
Brooklyn Manhat	67	60	67
California Pack'g	64-4	64-4	64-4
California Pete	37-4	35-6	30-5
Can. Pacific	185-3	184-7	185-6
Central Leather	9-4	9-4	9-4
Cerro De Pasco	63	63	63
Chandler pfd.	33-4	36-4	23-4
Chesap'ke & Ohio	164-6	164	164
Chi. Gt. Western	16-5	16	16
Chi. Mil. & St. P.	14-7	14-4	14-7
Chi. & Northwest	82-5	81-6	82-4
Chi. R. I. & Pac.	90-5	87-4	90
Chrysler Motor	41-3	39-5	41-3
Coco Cola	191-4	181-4	191-4
Col. Fuel & Iron	64-6	58	63-6
Columbia Gas	86-2	86-2	86-6
Cons. Gas	97	95-6	95-5
Cont. Can.	62-6	56-7	66-7
Cont. Oil	19-3	19-3	19-2
Cont. Motor	16	11-0	12
Corn Products	53-4	53-3	53-6
Crucible Steel	60	59-5	86-0
Cuba Am. Sugar	35	25	25
Davison Chem.	35	29	29
Del. Lack. & West	19-1	16-4	19
Dodge Bros., pfd	74-7	74	74-6
Dupont Powder	619	216-2	217-0
Elec. Power	15-4	16-4	15-4
Elec. Refrigerator	27	67	27
Engineer Gold	3-4	3-4	3-4
Erie	49-4	47-7	49-1
Erie First pfd.	58	57-3	57-4
Famous Players	108	100	108
Foundation Co.	86-7	86	85-5
General Asphalt	81-4	75-0	80-5
General Cigar	79-7	76-4	76-6
Gen. Electric	86-4	85-6	85-4
Gen. Motors	180-4	179-3	180-1
Goodrich Rubber	52-4	52-4	53-4
Granby	36	35-7	35-7
Great North. Ore	20-6	20	20-1
Great North., pfd.	87-6	86	87
Gt. West Sug	116	115	115
Gulf States Steel	59	55	59
Houston Oil	102	59	102
Howe Sound	35-7	39-0	35-7
Hudson Motor	69-4	66-6	68-4
Hupp Motors	61-1	31	21
Illinois Central	126-4	120-4	126-4
Imperial Oil	45	45	49
Inspiration	20	30	20
Int. Comb. Eng.	52-2	60	55
Int. Pete	61	31	31
Int. Mer. Marine	7	7	7
Int. Mer. Mar. pfd.	39-4	39-5	39-5
Int. Nickel	42-5	41	42-0
Int. Tel. & Tel.	155-4	152-4	153-4
Kan. City South	55-7	54	54
Kennecott Copper	62-5	61-6	62-5
Lehigh Valley	117	117	117
Louisiana Oil	13-1	13	13
Louis. & Nash.	134-3	134	134-2
Mack Truck	102-4	100-7	102-1
Manhatten Elec.	64-3	64-3	64-3
Marland Oil	47-0	46-4	47
Mex. Seaboard	7-3	7-6	7-6
Miami	16-1	16-1	16-1
Mid. Cont'nt Pete	34-2	33-5	34
Miss. Pacific	57	55-4	55-4
Miss. Pac., pfd	107-4	107	107
Montana Power	95	95	95
Montgomery Ward	95-4	94-2	94-6
Moon Motor	9	9	9
Motor Meter	35	35	35
Motor Wheel	20-4	20-4	20-4
Nash Motors	64-1	63-1	64
National Biscuit	116-5	110-6	113-0
Natl. Cash Reg.	43-6	43-3	43-6
Natl. Dairy Prod.	77	77	77
National Lead	194	191	194
Norfolk & West	181-4	178-4	180-0
North American	47	46-3	46-6
Northern Pacific	57-1	55-4	57-1
N.Y. Central	144-2	143-5	144
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	52-4	51-5	51-5
N.Y., Ont. & West	29-5	29-6	29-5
Parkard Motor	34-0	34-4	34-5
Pan. American	61-4	61	61
Pan. American B.	61-4	65-1	61-2
Pennsylvania R.R.	60-5	55-4	50-3
Pere Marquette	115	115	115
Phillips Pete	47-2	46-4	47-1
Pierce Arrow	19-4	18-7	19-4
Producers & Ref.	62	61-5	22
Pullman Co.	177-2	177	177-2
Pure Oil	68	27-5	68
Radio	46-4	45	45-4
Ray Cons.	16-1	16-1	16-1
Reading	111-4	110-2	115-7
Rep. Iron & Steel	71-5	70	71-5
Royal Dutch	49-2	49	49
Savage Arms	62-1	62-1	62-1
Schultz	48-4	48-2	48-4
Sears Roebuck	54-5	54-4	54-5
Shell Union	28-4	65-2	28-3
Sinclair Cons.	17-4	17-1	17-4
Sloss Sheffield	136-4	137-5	133-4
Southern Pac.	114-0	113-5	116
Southern Railway	164-3	136-3	164-6
Standard Gas	55-0	65-1	56-1
Standard Oil, Cal.	56-6	55	56-6
Standard Oil, N.J.	37	36-0	67
Standard Oil, N.Y.	60-4	30-2	60-4
Standard Oil, Ind.	67-1	87-1	57-1
Stewart Warner	67-5	55-5	66-6
St. Louis & S. Fran.	111-4	110-4	111-4
Stromburg Carb.	30	30	36
Studebaker	54	51-6	63-4
Stutz Motor	13-4	18-4	16-4
Tennessee Copper	11-3	11-2	11-5
Texas Co.	46-6	48-6	48-6
Texas Gulf Sulphur	60	58-4	59-4
Texas Pacific R.R.	69-4	68-4	68-5
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	13-1	15	13
Timken Roller	88-4	85-6	56-2
Tobacco Prod.	101-3	100-3	100-2
Tobacco Prod. A.	111-4	111	111
Union C'e & C'n	119	118-4	118-4
Union Oil of Cal.	46-0	42	42-4
Union Pacific	170-7	165-5	166-5
U.S. Cast I. Pipe	616	213-6	213-3
U.S. Ind. Alco.	72-4	69-0	71-7
U.S. Rubber	60-7	65	60-4
U.S. Steel	157-6	154	157
Universal Pipe	35-3	34-5	35-6
Vanadium	53	51-6	53
Wabash	76	71-6	71-4
Western Pacific	29-2	29	29
Westing. Elec. ex.-div.	75-7	73-6	73-6
White Motor	45	40-4	48-6
Willys-Overland	21-7	20-5	51-6
Woolworth	167-4	136	127-4
Worth. Pump	39-5	29-5	29-6
Y'gston Sh. & Tu.	94-0	63-4	94-4
Yel. Tr'k & Coach	25-4	26-3	25-4
West. Air Brake	161-2	161	161-2
Intl. Harvester	156-5	156-5	156-3
Victor Talking	67	66-4	36-6

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WHEAT TRADERS WAITING TO SEE

Market Has Listless Session—U.S. Report on Winter Wheat to Be Known Today

WINNIPEG, March 31.—A tendency today of traders to adopt a waiting attitude resulted in one of the most listless sessions of the local wheat market in many months. Trade volume was exceptionally light and there were barely sufficient offerings to meet the demand. Closing prices were unchanged to ⅜ cent higher.

Private reports by United States crop authorities of the condition of the growing Winter crop are due to be disclosed on Friday.

The coarse grains were also dull.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	139¼	140⅝	155¾	145¼b
July	157	157½	136⅝	137⅝
Oct.	137	137⅝	137	167¼b
Oats—				
May	56¼	56⅝	65¼	55⅝b
July	64⅝	54⅝	54⅝	54⅝
Oct.	..	..	..	49⅝
Barley—				
May	75	75	74⅝	74⅛
July	75⅝	76⅝	73½	73⅝
Oct.	..	..	..	57⅝b
Flax—				
May	151¼	191⅝	190⅞	151⅝b
July	164⅝	194⅝	164⅛	154⅝b
Oct.	..	..	..	158½b
Rye—				
May	150⅝	153	150⅛	101⅝
July	100	108⅝	95⅝	100⅝
Oct.	95⅝	90	95½	95

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 nor., 144; 2 nor., 138¾; 3 nor., 130⅞; No. 4, 120⅜; No. 5, 106½; No. 6, 96½; feed, 79¼; track, 141¼.

Oats—2 cw., 57⅝; 3 cw., 52⅝; extra 1 feed, 52⅜; 1 feed, 49⅝; 2 feed, 46⅝; rejected, 48⅛; track, 55⅝.

Barley—3 cw., 73½; 4 cw., 72⅛; rejected, 68⅛; feed, 67⅛; track, 73⅞.

Flax—1 nwc., 189¼; 2 cw., 185⅛; 3 cw., 168⅜; rejected, 153⅜; track, 190⅛.

Rye—2 cw., 99⅞.

NEW YORK CURB

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Industrials	Bid	Asked
Centrifugal	.14½	.15
Checker Cab	.04	.53
Derant Del.	.11⅝	.11⅛
Mesabi	.65	.75
Stutz	.18⅛	.15
Reo	.19⅛	.19⅝
Tob. Prod Ex.	.61⅛	.61⅛
Un. Profit Shar.	.01½	.01⅝
Un. Retail Candy	.00¼	.50⅛
Cities Serv. Com.	.51½	.51⅝
Cities Serv. Pfd.	.40	.40⅛
Cities Serv. Bkrs.	.65½	.35
Am. Gas El.	.73⅝	.72⅝
Lehigh Pow. Secs.	.19	.19½
Oils		
Carib.	.18⅛	.18⅜
Glenrock	.04	.25
Int. Pete	.50⅝	.31
Marl. Mex.	.01	.01⅛
Mexico Oil	.13	.20
Cont'l Oil	.19¼	.19¼
Pennock Oil	.09⅜	.15
Ryan Cons.	.05½	.05⅝
Sapulpa	1.00	1.60
Salt Cr. Prod.	.29⅝	.50
Salt Cr. Cons.	.07	.07¼
Wilcox	.24	.64½
Conley Tinfoil	.15	.15⅛
Mount. Prod.	.24⅝	.24½
Mines		
Ariz. Globe	.03	.54
Butte & W.	.01	.10
Cal. Jerome	.05	.07
Cons. Copr.	.03¼	.03¼
Cresson	.02¼	.06½
Delores	.35	.55
Eureka	.55	.06
Hecla	.14¼	.14⅝
Hollinger	.30½	.61½
J. V. Devel	.30	.50
Kerr Lake	.75	.85
Mason Valley	.01½	.01⅝
Nipissing	.45	.47
Success	.05¼	.05½
Teck Hughes	.44	.46
Un. Eastern	.25½	.25¼
Wayne Coal	.74½	.76

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, March 31.—Eggs and cheese, easy; butter, strong.

Cheese—Finest westerns, 16⅝ to 16¾.

Butter—No. 1 Pasteurized, 49 to 50.

Eggs—Fresh extras, 36 to 37; fresh firsts, 34 to 35.

Calgary Oil Stocks

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co. by direct private wire)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta Pacific Cons.	.15	.18
British Dominion	.35	..
Dalhousie	1.90	2.00
Illinois Alberta	.46	.50
New McDougal Segur	.85	1.05
McDougal Exp.	1.25	1.50
McLeod	6.50	2.70
Mill City	.65	.30
Moose Mountain	.60	.23
Royalite	28.70	30.00
Turner Valley	.50	.35
United	.56	1.10
Vulcan	3.60	6.00

FOREIGN BONDS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Austrian 7's, 1943	104¼	104⅝
French 7's, 1949	102⅝	103
French 7½'s, 1941	111½	111⅝
French 8's, 1945	109⅝	110
German 7's, 1949	107⅝	108

Victoria Stock Exchange

Mining	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.55	1.75
Dunwell Mines	1.50	1.52
Glacier Creek	.05½	.05
Gladstone	.68	.30
Goldsmith	.18½	.19½
Granby	66.05	67.00
Howe Sound	40.00	42.50
Independence Gold	.05	.10
Indian Mines	.05	.57
International Coal	.16	.19¼
L. & L. Glacier	.	.06
Lakeview	.55¼	.03⅝
Leadsmith	.05	.07½
Lucky Jim	.65	.36½
Marmot Metals	..	.13
Mexican Premier	.57	..
National Silver (G.S.)	.	.24
Porter-Idaho	.15⅛	.17
Premier Gold	2.17	2.65
Richmond	.14½	.16½
Rufus	..	.10
Russell Creek	..	.30
Ruth Hope	.35	.28
Selkirks	..	.03
Silverado	..	.45
Silver Crest	.07¼	.57½
Silversmith	.28	.36
Sunloch	.50	.50
Terminus	..	.10
Victoria	..	.07
Cork Province	.06¼	.00
Oils		
B.C. Montana	.05 1-10	.00 6-10
Miscellaneous		
B.C. Perm. Loan	156.05	..
B.C. Telephone	620.00	..
B.C. Electric, P. & G.	153.65	104.65
Local Curb Stocks		
Torric	..	3.90
Malaspina	..	.13
Coast Copper	15.15	..
Slocan King	.13½	.13½
Silver Ledge	..	.56½
Northland	..	.16
Standard Silver-Lead	.21	..

Sales

500 Gladstone at .50; 1,555 Goldsmith at .19¼; 500 Porter-Idaho at .10; 1,005 Ruth Hope at .66; 1,000 at .68; 1,555 Silver Crest at .07½; 1,000 Silversmith at .29; 5,050 Cork Province at .05½; 1,000 Slocan King at .16½; 150 Dunwell at 1.31; 155 at 1.60; 500 at 1.60; 100 at 1.31.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	Close
Abitibi	31-0
Asbestos	59
Asbestos pfd.	85-6
Atlantic Sugar	25
Bell Telephone	148
Brazilian Trac.	135-2
B.C. Fish. & Pack.	50
Brompton Paper	62-7
Can. Cement, com.	105-2
Can. Cement, pfd.	117
Can. Car. Fdy., com.	38
Can. Car Fdy., pfd.	56
Can. S.S., com.	36-4
Can. S.S., pfd.	87-7
Can. Cottons	135
Can. Converters	100-2
Can. Ind. Alcohol	25-4
Cons. M. & S.	258
Dom. Bridge	155
Dom. Glass	116-4
Dom. Textile	115-4
Howard Smith	60-2
L. of Woods Mlg.	150
Laurentide Co.	102-4
Mackay Co.	165
Montreal Power	77-1
National Breweries	59-3
Ontario Steel	73-4
Ogilvie Mlg. Co.	246
Ottawa Power	101
Penmans, Ltd.	226-4
Shawinigan, new	74-2
Spanish River Pulp	65
Spanish River Pulp, pfd.	111-2
Steel of Can.	125
Twin City Elec.	50
Winnipeg Elec.	64

TORONTO MINES

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	Bid	Asked
Amulet	1.15	..
Argonaut	.40	..
Baldwin	.02½	..
Barry	.43	..
Buckingham	.05½	.05
West Dome	.08	.08½
Dome	6.75	..
Goldale	.65½	.24
Hollinger	21.00	..
Hunton	.15	.15½
Kirkland Lake	.85	.87
Lakeshore	18.20	..
McIntyre	25.00	..
Noranda	21.10	..
Premier	2.15	..
Teck Hughes	6.43	6.45
Tough Oakes	.47	..
Vipond	1.47	1.48
Wright Hargreaves	10.00	..
Night Hawk	.04½	.04⅞
Beaver	.03	.63
Capital	.25	..
Castle	.57	.98
Crown Reserve	.06	.58½
Keeley	1.45	..
Lakeside	.02⅞	.03
McKinley	.13½	..
Mill Crest	.04½	..
Mining Corpn.	6.15	..
Nipissing	7.75	..
Capot	.57	.57½
Newray	.34	..
Area	.31	.63
Duprat	.14½	.16
Laval	.69	..
Towagmac	2.60	..
Indian	.06¼	..
Victory	.08½	.05
Bidgood	.07⅝	..
Central Manitoba Mines	1.17	..

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

VANCOUVER, March 31.—Stock quotations.

Mining	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.63	1.67
Bayview	..	.05
Boundary Red Mountain	.55½	..
Cork Province	.05¼	.55⅝
Daly-Alaska	.50	..
Dunwell	1.65	1.31
Glacier	.08½	.09¼
Gladstone (Ex-D.)	.25	.29½
Glasair	..	.50
Howe Sound (Ex-D.)	36.00	41.05
Independence	.09½	.09⅝
Indian Mines	.05½	.07
Int'l Coal	.18½	.19¼
Lakeview	.02⅝	.52½
Lucky Jim	.21	.36
Marmot Metals	.10	.16
Premier (Ex-D.)	2.17	2.19
Porter-Idaho	.16½	.16⅝
Ruth Hope	.63	.25
Selkirks	.01⅝	.02¼
Silver Crest	.07	.07½
Silversmith	.28	.35
Surf Inlet	.01½	..
Terminus	.15	..
Victoria	..	.15
Leadsmith	..	.57
Richmond	.13½	.15
B.C. Gold	..	.06
National	.18	.60
Coast Copper	10.00	11.00
Industrials		
B.C.E.R., P. & G. (Ex-D.)	103.35	
B.C. Tel., com. (Ex-D.)	217.00	233.50
B.C. Perm. Loan	110.50	125.00
Oils		
B.C. Montana	.00 1-16	.00¼
British Petroleum	.11⅝	.12½
Maple Leaf	.16½	.20

Morning Sales

44 Dunwell at 1.35; 100 at 1.36; 50 Premier at 3.16; 600 at 6.19; 1,005 Porter-Idaho at .15¼; 200 at .15½; 1,500 Gladstone at .05½; 10,000 Cork Province at .05¼; 1,000 at .06¼; 4,500 Lucky Jim at .31; 5,000 at .31½; 1,005 Ruth Hope at .66½; 1,000 Independence at .09½.

Afternoon Sales

165 Maple Leaf at .15½; 150 Premier at 3.18; 600 at 6.19; 1,150 at 3.60; 405 Dunwell at 1.00; 100 at 1.31; 500 at 1.36; 50 Coast Copper at 10.35; 650 Lucky Jim at .32.

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Victory Loan, 5½%—Tax Free	Buy	Sell
Interest due—		
1667, 1st June and Dec.	105.50	100.66
1633, 1st May and Nov.	164.15	104.30
1637, 1st June and Dec.	101.10	157.35
War Loan, 5%—Tax Free		
1631, 1st April and Oct.	101.30	101.50
1957, 1st Mar and Sept.	156.25	103.65
(Payable New York)		
Victory Loan, 5½%		
1937, 1st May and Nov.	100.46	100.65
1936, 1st May and Nov.	153.10	103.25
1664, 1st May and Nov.	155.00	106.00
Dominion Loan		
1968, 15th Apr. and Oct., 5%	100.45	150.06
1543, 15th Apr. and Oct. 5%	102.00	102.25
1940, 1st Mar. and Sept., 4½%	55.15	55.55
1944, 15th Apr. and Oct., 4½%	68.65	98.65
1964, 1st Feb. and Aug. (C.N.R.), 5%	154.76	

Prices subject to ⅛ of 1% brokerage. Add accrued interest to date:
1537, 1937, 120 days, 1.808 per $150.
1937, 1932, 1636, 1634, 150 days, 2.365 per $155.
1523, 1542, 107 days, 6.088 per $100.
1944, 157 days, 6.056 per $155.

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, March 31.—The raw sugar market was quiet today and in absence of business, prices were unchanged at 4.86 for spot Cuban, duty paid. The refined market was steady and prices unchanged to ten points higher, with all refiners now said to be accepting orders at 5.85 for fine granulated, and a moderate inquiry reported.

SILVER MARKETS

LONDON, March 31.—Bar silver, 25⅞d per ounce.

At New York

NEW YORK, March 31.—Bar silver, 55⅝. Mexican dollars, 42⅛.

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METAL MARKETS

LONDON, March 31.—Standard copper, spot, £55 10s; futures, £56 2s 6d. Electrolytic, spot, £62; futures, £62 2s 6d. Tin, spot, £310 2s 6d; futures, £292 15s. Lead, spot, £26 17s 6d; futures, £27 7s 6d. Zinc, spot, £29 13s 6d; futures, £30 2s 6d.

At New York

NEW YORK, March 31.—Copper, steady. Electrolytic, spot and futures, 13.12. Tin, firm; spot and nearby, 68.62; May, 67.62. Iron, steady, unchanged. Lead, steady, spot, 7.35. Zinc, firm, East St. Louis, spot and futures, 6.55. Antimony, spot, 13.50 @ 13.75.

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, March 31.—Bar silver, 25⅞d per ounce. Money, 4⅜ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 4⅜ per cent; three months' bills, 4 5-16 @ 4⅜ per cent.

At New York

NEW YORK, March 31.—Call money firm; all loans 4½; closing bid, 4½. Time loans steady, mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 4⅜ @ 4½; 4-6 months, 4⅜ @ 4½. Prime mercantile paper, 4 @ 4¼ per cent.

Dow Jones' Averages

Forty bonds, 97.19; off .1.
Twenty industrials, 159.66; off .96.
Twenty rails, 129.71; up 1.18.

NEW ISSUE

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Common Stock ($100 par value)	$250,000	$233,500

PURPOSE OF THE ISSUE

Proceeds of this issue will be used to buy the assets of The B. C. Towage & Lighterage Company Ltd., International Towing Company Ltd., and the Old Dominion Tug & Barge Company Ltd., and for working capital.

THE COMPANY AND ITS PROPERTIES

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ASSETS

The fixed assets of The Dominion Tug & Barge Company Ltd. have been carefully inspected and valued by the late Captain W. H. Logan, and his valuation is as follows:

Replacement Value $536,000 — Sound Value $402,500

SINKING FUND

A Trust Deed will provide an annual Sinking Fund, commencing April 1, 1928, sufficient to retire the whole issue by or before maturity.

EARNINGS

Based on the earnings of the B. C. Towage & Lighterage Company Ltd., the earnings of the old Dominion Tug & Barge Company Ltd., and the earnings of the International Towing Company Ltd., a conservative estimate of earning power of these companies would show ample profit to take care of the interest and sinking fund charges required for this issue.

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These bonds will be secured by a Deed of Trust and Mortgage constituting, in the opinion of counsel, a first mortgage and charge on all of the company's assets, present and future, specific as to equipment and all other fixed assets.

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Vancouver Island News

BOTH PARTIES ARE ACTIVE IN RIDING

Two Political Meetings Are Held at Sidney for Islands Constituency

SIDNEY, March 31.—A rally of the North Saanich Conservative Association was held at the Auditorium Theatre, with Mr. A. W. Bawden presiding. Col. C. W. Peck, V.C., M.P.P.; H. D. Twigg, M.P.P., and J. H. Hinchliffe, M.P.P., were present.

Col. Peck spoke on the political questions of the day, mentioning in brief the events of the Legislative session. The Kamloops convention, he said, was the most successful held in the Province. Representatives from all the different constituencies were present, and he especially mentioned the Islands riding having seven delegates in attendance.

Col. Peck, in referring to the question of chosing a leader for the Conservative Party, said they had unanimously elected the most popular man in British Columbia, the Hon. S. F. Tolmie, who, he said, would lead the party to victory in the next election.

Mr. Twigg dealt extensively with political issues of the day.

Mr. Hinchliffe spoke on the heavy taxes for the coming year, the tariff issue and said the Conservative Party stood for progress and advancement.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered the speakers by H. L. Ricketts and H. C. Layard.

At the annual meeting of the North Saanich Liberal Association, held in Wesley Hall, it was decided that the executive should consist of five members in addition to the officers. The president read a letter of resignation from the secretary, Mr. W. H. Dawes. The election of officers for the ensuing year took place and resulted in the following being elected: Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, honorary president; Hon. John Oliver, honorary vice-president; A. McDonald, president; C. Moses, vice-president. Miss G. E. Moses was unanimously elected to fill the vacancy of secretary-treasurer. An election by ballot for the five members of the executive resulted as follows: Mrs. J. Simister, S. Lee, John Matthews, Thomas Lidgate and E. Blackburn.

It was further decided to appoint a second vice-president. Mr. W. H. Russell Humber received a unanimous election for this office.

Representatives for North Saanich on the Central Islands executive were elected as follows: Messrs. C. Moses, John Matthews, W. H. R. Humber, A. Williamson and J. Simister. It was decided to hold a general meeting of the association at an early date for the nominating convention which will be held in the near future at Sidney.

At the conclusion of the business of the meeting the president introduced Messrs. D. Ramsay, secretary of the Saanich Liberal Association, and C. H. O'Halloran and M. B. Jackson, K.C., addressed the meeting.

Today's Radio

Programme of Principal Broadcasting Stations

By Courtesy of Radio Doings

Pacific Time Stations

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (329.5m)—8 a.m., New York stock quotations. 6:40 p.m. Hot office review. 7:30, West Coast information service. 7:35, Aunty Babs, for the kiddies. 8:05, Sports programme, courtesy Peden Bros.' Sporting Goods Store; also Jonstons talk.

CNRV, Vancouver, B.C. (299m)—3 p.m., Matinee programme. 7:30, Address. 8, Organ recital. 9, Studio programme, presented by Bill Tweedie's Concert Orchestra. 10, Dance music by the Cabaret Belmont Orchestra.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash. (384m)—2-2:30 Homemakers' and Shoppers' Bureau. 6:45-7, Automobile Club of Washington. 7-8, Sherman Clay & Company studio programme. 8-10, The Mission Bell Concert Orchestra presented by the Los Angeles Snap Company, from KGW, Portland. 10-10:30, Hinke & Farrar's Kirkland Serenaders. 10:30-12, Weekly frolic of the "Keep Growing Wiser Order of Hoot Owls," broadcast from KGW, Portland.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (306m)—10 a.m., Inspirational services. 10:15, Y.M.C.A. health exercises. 10:30, Totem Cooking School. 11, Organ recital. 12 noon, U.S. farm flashes, "Dairying." 12:15 p.m., Totem Chorus. 3, Alexander Wallace, tenor; Totem Concert Orchestra, Leo A. Dessauer, male quartette, Edith Gray, soprano; G. Donald Gray, baritone. 5:16, Richardson Bros.' children's programme. 5:45, Stock, bond and grain quotations. 6-7:30, Totem Concert Orchestra. 8, U.S. Farm School, "Dairying." 8:15, Totem Broadcasters, "Opening the Mail"; popular songs, Fred Richardson. 8:30, Totem Concert Orchestra. 9, Totem Concert Orchestra. 9:30, Totem Concert Orchestra. 10-12:30, Totem Broadcasters; Totem Dance Orchestra and Doug Richardson.

KGO, Oakland, Ore. (361m)—6:30 p.m., Day-Ray-O, children story-teller from Land-O-Health. 6, Bem's Little Symphony Orchestra. 6:45, "Weekly Financial Review," by Fred Brandt. 6:55-7:25, News, weather, produce, grain, cotton, metals, stocks. 8, Programme of old favorites by the International Four.

KOWW, Walla Walla, Wash. (285m)—4:5 p.m., Town Shopper. 7-8, Service hour. 8-9, Studio. 9-10, The Walters' Sisters Concert Orchestra.

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (467m)—6:30 p.m., Henry Starr, pianist and vocalist. 8:15, Radiotorial period. 6:30, Collegiate Aeolians Dance Orchestra. 7, Organ recital. 8, Request programme by Paul Roberts and Leslie Adams. 9, Classical selections. 10, Packard ballad hour.

KJBS, San Francisco, Cal. (220m)—9.30-11 p.m., Jimmy Raymond and Lou Emmel, "The Happiness Boys," and studio programme. 11-12:30, Popular hour.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal. (405m)—6-6:30 p.m., KHJ Concert Trio. 6:30, Children's hour. 7:30, Scripture reading. 7:40, "Book Reviews," Thos. P. Ford. 8-10, News items; novelty programme from the studio. 9, Talk on international relations.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (428m)—4:30 p.m., Palace Hotel Concert Orchestra. 6.15, Children's hour by Big Brother. 6:15, Stock quotations and general information. 6:30, Station Restaurant Orchestra. 7:20, "Sports-on-the-Air," under the supervision of Harry B. Smith, sporting editor of The Chronicle. 8-10, Walter Krausgrill's Balconaden Ballroom Orchestra. 10-11, Station Restaurant Orchestra.

KFWB, Hollywood, Cal. (252m)—5:40 p.m., talk, "Physiology and Psychology of Beauty," Georgia O George. 6, Dinner hour concert. 7, Warner Bros' Hawaiian Trio and Entertainers. 7:50, Daily news items. 8, Ruth Michaison, blues song, LeRoy Kullberg and his ukulele; Warner Bros' Orchestra. 9, Melody Makers' Period; studio chatter at 9:30 p.m. 9:50, Daily news items. 10, Rainbow hour from the Rainbow Isle Room of the Mayfair Hotel. 11-12, Henry Halstead and his orchestra.

KFUS, Oakland, Cal. (256m)—8 p.m., Health questions.

KFSD, San Diego, Cal. (245.8m)—6-7 p.m., Nightly musical review. 7, Classical Orthophonic recital. 8, Studio programme. 9, La Boheminn Dance Auditorium. 10, U.S. Grant Hotel programme.

KYA, San Francisco, Cal. (390.8m)—6:30-7:30 p.m., Sollie Heilbronner's Cliff Hotel Concert Trio. 8-9, Studio programme. 9-10, Rose Rowen and Katherine Lagunea with others. 10-11, Harb Meyerinck's Cliff Hotel Dance Orchestra.

KGTT, San Francisco, Cal. (207m)—12:30-1 p.m., Scripture reading. 8-10, Programme followed by a message.

KFSG, Los Angeles, Cal. (275m)—6:30-7:30 p.m., Angelus hour. 7:30-9:30, Crusader rally. 10-11, Back home hour.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (491m)—6-7 p.m., Dinner concert. 7-7:30, Utility service. 7:30-8, Albers Bros' poultry talk. 8-9, Cogsert by the Mission Bell Orchestra. 9-10:30, Dance music by Cole McKinry's orchestra. 10:30-12, Weekly frolic of the Keep Growing Wiser Order of Hoot Owls, broadcast with KOM, Tacoma, Wash., KPQA, Seattle, Wash., KHQ, Spokane, Wash., from KGW.

KFRC, San Francisco, Cal. (268m)—4 p.m., Harkness' Mark Hopkins Concert Orchestra. 6:20, Mac and His Gang. 6:25, Stage, screen and police reports. 6:30-7, Cecilian Trio. 7-7:30, Radin Encyclopaedia. 8-10, Gilfillan Neutrodyne programme, featuring KFRC Little Symphony Orchestra. 10-12, Eddie Harkness' Mark Hopkins Dance Orchestra; interpolations by Frank Gibney, "The Crooning Cowboy," and Eileen Sprague, pianist.

KFON, Long Beach, Cal. (232m)—4 p.m., Press Telegram late news. 4:30, KFON Concert Orchestra. 6, Request period, by Clarence and Doris. 6:15, KFON Concert Orchestra. 7, Church of Christ, by Rev. Ernest Beam. 7:30, "A Sailing Riser Programme." 7:45, "Lucky Jim" Investment Chat. 8, Long Beach Municipal Band. 8:10, A few minutes with the announcer. 8:20, Long Beach Municipal Band. 9, Missman Radio Company programme. 10, Merchants' musical programme. 11-1, Elks' Frolic, Lodge No. 888.

KHQ, Spokane, Wash. (391.5m)—5:5 p.m., The service hour. 6-7, Davenport Hotel Concert Orchestra. 8-9, Los Angeles Snap Company programme from KGW. 9-10, Studio programme. 10:10-30, Dance music. 10:30-12, KGW Hoot Owls.

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (302.8m)—6:45-7:30 p.m., Shopping hour. 8-9, Programme under the direction of Mr. W. E. Hayes, featuring his pupils in an hour of song. 9-10, Goat Island Goats.

KMTR, Hollywood, Cal. (370m)—6:30-8 p.m., White King Male Quartette. 6-6:15, Nightly Doings. 6:15-7, Leighton's Cafeteria Orchestra. 7-7:30, Fitzgerald Music Company. 7:30-8, Charles Hamp. 8-9, Len Nash Alta Club Hawaiian American Band. 9-10, Curiosity programme. 10-11, Miller's Dance Orchestra.

KFQZ, Hollywood, Cal. (226m)—6-7 p.m., Panatrope dinner hour. 7, Paramount Orchestra and Hale Hooper. 8, Galanian's Orchestra, Int Jordan and Glenn Boston. 9, Yellow Jackets, Pat Lee and Helen McCall.

CJCA, Edmonton, Alta. (317m)—6:15-6:30 p.m., Children's programme. 6:30-7, Lutheran Devotional service. 7-7:30, Late news and announcements. 7:30-9, McGavin's concert night.

KTX, Oakland, Cal. (508m)—5:30 p.m., Brother Bob's children's programme. 7-7:30, News broadcast. 8-9:45, Western Auto Supply programme. 9:45-10:30, Athens Athletic Club Orchestra.

KDYL, Salt Lake City, Utah (246m)—6 p.m., Shoppers' guide. 7, Popular programme featuring Osborne Sisters and Afton Pitt. 7:30, Studio programme. 8, Semi-classical programme. 9, Dance music.

KFWI, San Francisco, Cal. (250m)—6-7 p.m., Dinner programme by Vic Pollak and his Rhythm Band. 7, Announcements 7:05-7:15, Sports, police and weather reports. 8-8:30, Guiseppe Garcione, dramatic tenor. 8:30-9, The Isolans (violin, vocal, 'cello, piano). 9-10, Programme by the South of Market Boys, Inc. 10-12, Paul Kelli's Troyators Orchestra.

KNX, Los Angeles, Cal. (337m)—5:45 p.m., The town tattler. 6, Biltmore Hotel Orchestra. 6:30, Yale Radio Battery Orchestra. 7-10, Courtesy programme. 10, Events from American Legion Stadium. 11, Gus Arnheim's Cocoanut Grove Orchestra.

KOIN, Portland, Ore. (319m)—6:15-6 p.m., Topsy Turvy Time Club, for children. 6-7, Dinner concert on the Heathman Hotel pipe organ by George O'Leene, concert organist. 7-7:30, "What to Do and Where to Go," suggestions for amusement, with puzzle word contest. 8-8:40, Studio programme. 8:40-9, A programme of popular songs. 9-10, The Mischa Pelz Orchestra. 10-1, A frolic by Jerry Freed and assisting artists from the Green Hill.

KQW, San Jose, Cal. (333m)—6:15 p.m., U.S. Farm School. 6:30, The Agricultural Economist. 6:35, Farm flashes. 6:50, Farmers' Exchange. 7-7:30, California Farm Bureau evening radio news; weather and market reports, general and agricultural news.

KFWB, Avalon, Cal. (211m)—4 p.m., Miss Hewitt's Golden Hour. 4, Wrigley Chimes. 5:30-6, Hotel St. Catherine Orchestra and rebroadcasts.

Langford Children Cheer Viceregal Party in Passing

LANGFORD, March 31.—A pleasing incident occurred this morning, when an old Eastbourne cricketer, acting on behalf of his wife, a school trustee, anticipating the passing of the Governor-General's party en route for Qualicum Beach, assisted the local teachers to marshal the school children, who, upon the approach of the viceregal party, gave three hearty cheers. The party stopped, and both Lord and Lady Willingdon shook hands with the teachers, Miss P. Sutton and Miss L. Peacey, and had a friendly chat, asking questions about the district and the school and expressed their pleasure at this informal reception.

Lady Willingdon presented each teacher with a bunch of violets and requested that the children be given a holiday. This was granted for Monday, April 4.

Service on Sunday in St. Matthew's will be at 7 p.m. Rev. H. B. Allan will officiate at the service, this being Mr. Allen's first service as vicar of the parish.

Dr. Youlden, school dentist, is making an official visit to the school today.

The first swallows were seen here last Monday morning.

Arrangements for Spring Flower Show Are Complete

METCHOSIN, March 31.—All arrangements are now complete for the annual Spring Flower Show, convened by the Women's Institute for April 6. The show will be opened by Mrs. Mathews, one of the keenest amateur gardeners in the district, and the judging of exhibits will be done by Mr. John Hutchison, of the Rockhome Gardens. Mrs. Georgeson is the convener of tea, Mrs. Pearse, of the candy stall, and Mesdames Saltmarsh and Witty of the home-cooking stall, while the ice cream stall will be in charge of Miss Milne. Exhibits should be at the hall not later than 12 o'clock on April 6, competitors to provide their own vases.

Mr. J. A. Tomlinson Passes in South

BRENTWOOD, March 31.—Mr. and Mrs. F. Tomlinson, of Tomlinson Road, Saanichton, have been notified of the death of their eldest son, Mr. James Allott Tomlinson, on March 30, at Las Vegas. He was thirty-seven years of age, a native of Newark, England, and is survived by his widow and one son, his parents, one brother and three sisters.

Colwood News

COLWOOD, March 31.—Colwood school children enjoyed the day's holiday in commemoration of the visit of the Governor-General to Victoria. Through the kindness of the following, Mrs. Pierce, Miss Hawkeswood and Mrs. Bert Parker, a number of the children were conveyed to Craigflower Schoolhouse, where they had the opportunity of seeing His Excellency, Lady Willingdon, and party, also the Indians who took part in the ceremonies; an event which will be impressed in the children's memory.

The postponed barketball game between Langford and Colwood will be played on the home ground Friday, April 1, at 3:30 p.m.

Rev. H. B. Allen and family have taken up their residence at the Vicarage, Woodlands Avenue. The vicar will take his first services at St. John's Church, Colwood, Sunday, April 3, at 11 a.m., and St. Matthew's, Langford, at 7 p.m.

ROYAL OAK, March 31.—On Sunday next, at St. Michael and All Angels' Church, Canon H. W. G. Stocken will preach at the morning service at 11 o'clock, when holy communion will be celebrated. There will also be service in the evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Judgment Is Given on Gordon Grant's Will

VANCOUVER, March 31.—Lost nearly nineteen years and executed in May, 1891, probate was sought from Mr. Justice Denis Murphy today in Supreme Court of a copy of Gordon Fraser Grant's will. A retired marine engineer, he died at Victoria, December 5, 1908. His widow, Maria Heathfield Grant, of Victoria, claims the estate on the ground that she was sole beneficiary under a will, which can not be found.

Mr. M. B. O'Dell, who applied for probate, explained that interested parties included five daughters and W. Pollard Grant's son.

Mr. Justice Murphy refused to make the order unless Mr. H. O. Alexander, official guardian, was satisfied on behalf of the grandchild, and the daughters approved.

The estate consists of realty worth about $300.

Archbishop of York Addresses Commons

LONDON, March 31.—Even uniformed attendants were barred from the meeting of members of the House of Commons held in a Westminster committee room, which was addressed by the Archbishop of York last night. His Grace was "introducing the new Book of Common Prayer" to the members, and the meeting was presided over by Premier Stanley Baldwin.

He told the gathering not to divulge what happened.

The Archbishop spoke for forty-five minutes and for another hour afterwards answered questions. He made it clear that if a minister chooses to retain the old prayer book, not even his congregation could prevent him from doing so. Whereas if he desired to use the new book he must consult his church council and if unable to agree may appeal to the Bishop.

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For Spring Is Seen in New Wash Fabrics

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—Wash Fabrics, Main Floor

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—Corsets, 1st Floor

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